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## Sides to meet Friday, resume negotiations

By Paul Guggina  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Negotiations are scheduled to resume tomorrow at 2 p.m. in an attempt to end a teachers strike that is in its second week.

Federal mediator Charles Reilly set tomorrow's session after meeting individually with negotiating teams for both the Granite City Federation of Teachers and the District 9 Board of Education.

The teams have not met since Sept. 8. Since then, the two sides have engaged in a battle for public support — with each gathering data and issuing public statements in an attempt to portray their own offer as fair and the other's offer as unreasonable.

Last week, union spokesmen said they felt the board was "moving backwards" at the last negotiating session.

The school board's team countered that assertion Monday by stating the teachers have been offered raises and additional benefits valued at a total of \$387,000; and additional raises of up to \$314,000 if there is money left over at the end of the school year. The offer has not changed, board spokesman Terry Salem said.

Salem issued a press release discussing the last session. It stated, in part:

"The school board's negotiating team stated its willingness to

entertain a proposition from the teachers to use (the) \$387,000, part of it, for other purposes. The board's team is still willing

### Since Sept. 8, the two sides have engaged in a battle for public support

to hear such a proposal.

"In addition and consistent with the practice which started in school year 1985-86, the board has also offered an additional salary increase if actual revenue exceeded actual disbursements and/or paid sick leave is reduced. This could cost as much as \$314,000 for teachers only. These offers are still 'on the table,' but subject to the stated conditions.

"The union is seeking to try to convert the amount of \$314,000 into immediate dollars, rather than dollars which would be available if, and only if, revenues exceeded expenditures or if teachers' used sick leave is reduced.

"The board's team, from the beginning, has been unwilling to place the district in deficit spending. It has been and is willing to pay the 'stipends' if, and only if, the conditions are met."

Union President Shirley Stoll

said the teachers do not want to put the district in debt, but refuted the board's contention that the union's demands would put the district \$4 million in debt.

A press release issued by the union's team stated the school board predicted deficits of up to \$1.3 million each year from 1984 through 1987, and each year posted surpluses of up to \$2.1 million.

The union's figures show the following projected deficits and actual surpluses:

1984: District projected deficit of \$1,123,485. Actual surplus was \$100,485.

1985: District projected deficit of \$1,330,355. Actual surplus was \$1,874,304.

1986: District projected deficit of \$739,421. Actual surplus was \$2,125,744.

1987: District projected deficit of \$1,004,910. Actual surplus was \$456,060.

"In each of the last five years the education fund has seen a revenue surplus, despite the annual 'doom and gloom' predictions from the board and administration," Stoll said. "The actual surpluses in the education fund for the last five years total approximately \$5 million."

Stoll also criticized the board for waiting until Aug. 9 to name a negotiating team and until Sept. 1 to begin financial bargaining.

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### Comparative 1988-89 teachers' salaries in Madison County

Union demand — \$36,957

Board offer — \$34,941

Roxana — \$34,236

Dist. 9 — \$33,597 (current)

Alton — \$33,551

Madison — \$33,000

E. Alton — \$31,660

Edwardsville — \$31,417

Collinsville — \$30,418

Bethalto — \$30,259

Based on a teacher, with a Masters degree and some additional advanced credits, who has 13 years experience. Figures furnished by Granite City School District 9.

## Board: Budget procedure protects teachers, others

A statement Wednesday by the Granite City School District fol-

lows:

"In a press release issued by their St. Louis public relations consultant on Sept. 9, the striking teachers' union was critical of the Granite City School Board's budgeting procedure.

"A budget is purely an estimate which must, under the School Code, be made within the first three months of the year.

"Often, it must be prepared before all of the prior year's audited figures are at hand. And, all too often, it must also be prepared before all of the

current year's official revenue figures are available.

"A budget is, nevertheless, the best estimate which can be made when it is prepared.

"Under the School Code, the School Board must conduct a public hearing before it officially

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### Deaths

Marie Lumpkins  
Raymond Sendejas  
George Slay  
Maxine Unger

### Lottery

Lottery numbers were:  
Saturday, Sept. 10: 10-204  
Pick 4 Game: 8546  
Lotto Game  
05 24 29 32 33 41  
Sunday, Sept. 11: 215  
Pick 4 Game: 8939  
Monday, Sept. 12: 187  
Pick 4 Game: 6948  
Cash-5 Game  
05 09 14 22 24  
Tuesday, Sept. 13: 913  
Pick 4 Game: 1314  
Wednesday, Sept. 14: 072  
Pick 4 Game: 2663  
Cash-5 Game  
02 03 09 18 19

### 75 years ago

Tuesday, Sept. 16, 1913  
The dance pavilion at the Horseshoe Lake resort of Lakeside Park burned late Sunday night, causing \$10,000 damage. A bucket brigade of dancers was formed, but they were unable to contain the fire. It is believed to have started from a discarded lighted cigar or cigarette stump.

### Trivia

When did Madison become a city?

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## Contract awarded for 100 new housing units

GRANITE CITY — The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville District, on Sept. 9 awarded a \$9,692,000 contract to C. Rallo Contracting Co. Inc. of St. Louis to build 100 residential units on government land at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City.

Rallo will construct the military subdivision in a joint venture with William B. Itner Inc. architects and Ross & Baruzzini Inc. engineers, also of St. Louis.

The subdivision at the Granite City base, once known as the Engineer Depot, will comprise two general officers' quarters, 66 four-bedroom units, 27 three-bedroom units and five two-bedroom units.

The contract also provides for amenities and utilities to support residents, including landscaping, tot lots and other facilities necessary to provide a suitable living environment for Army families.

Construction, which is scheduled to begin in November, is expected to take 18 months to complete.

This is one of only four Army housing projects in the continental United States authorized in 1988, according to the Corps of Engineers.

The Price Center supports approximately 65,000 active duty, reserve and retired military personnel and their family members serving or living in the metropolitan St. Louis area.

The base was established in 1942. It is part of the Army Aviation Systems Command, St. Louis, and serves all Department of Defense personnel.

The Price Center is the (See HOUSING, Page 2A)



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

**BUILDING SITE:** This tract of land in the northeast corner of the Price Center will be the site of a \$9.69 million military housing development. Illinois 3 runs across the bottom of the photo and intersects with West 20th Street at lower right.

## Reckless homicide charged in fatal accident Saturday

GRANITE CITY — A 30-year-old man has been charged with reckless homicide as the result of a fatal accident early Saturday morning.

Edward Thomas Mitchell, 4009 Braden Ave., was alleged to have been driving under the influence of alcohol at the time of the collision.

Mitchell had been hospitalized since Saturday for injuries suffered in the accident. He was arrested Wednesday morning at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Yvonne Marie Zotti, 28, 4130 Braden Ave., was killed in the cross-over crash on Illinois 3, about 300 feet north of St. Thomas Road, and was pronounced dead

at the scene by Madison County Deputy Corner Edward Morton at 4:05 a.m.

Mitchell's car allegedly crossed the northbound lanes and the median and struck Zotti's car, which was traveling south on Illinois 3, police said.

Zotti's car was struck in the driver's side. A reconstruction team from the Illinois State Police was used by Granite City police during the investigation.

Police found Mitchell lying on the ground near the crash. He reportedly told police at the scene that the accident was nobody's fault.

Mitchell refused blood alcohol tests at 4:10 a.m.

## Library begins Johnson Rd. move

The Granite City Branch Library will begin moving into its newly constructed branch building at 2145 Johnson Road next week, Gregg McGee, branch supervisor, said.

Saturday will be the last day of patron service at the current branch building at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

The new library will be open to the public after the move and reorganization, McGee said. The move will take a minimum of two weeks. The opening date of the new branch will be released at a later time.

The new building covers 3,880 square feet and offers seated, reading areas for 65. The unique design of the windows with Lazy Susan, rotating book carousels will allow the library to hold as many books as a 9,000-square-foot convention

motor-and-brick library, McGee said.

The parking lot will hold 36 cars. The new branch was to open in March 1987, but had been beset with construction delays, partly because of the bankruptcy of its contractor, Forti-Structure of Bethesda, Md. Construction problems with the now-completed parking lot and windows had also hampered the opening. Some of the curved windows are cracked and must be replaced.

Branch patrons may continue to use the book return at the rear of Central Christian during the move, McGee said. Books may also be returned to the main library, 2001 Delmar Ave. The loan period for most branch books, with the exception of reserve books and certain high-demand books, will be extended until the new branch opens. For more information, call 452-6244.

## Calendar

## Special Events

The New Salem Baptist Church Missionary Society is sponsoring a Clothes Give-away 9 a.m. Saturday in front of the church at 1349 Klein Ave., Venice.

Cahokia's Holy Family Parish will hold "Rendezvous de St. Famille" Friday, Saturday and Sunday. For more information, call 337-2880.

JAN BOLLS of Godfrey, Ill., is sponsoring a doll exhibit at the Alton Ramada Inn from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. Members of the public are encouraged to bring their favorite dolls to the show. For more information, call 466-0080.

Indian and non-Indian storytellers will gather at Cahokia Mounds to tell Indian stories of how and why, legends, creation myths, tricksters and love stories. For more information, call 344-5268.

## Food

KMOX Radio and The President Riverboat are sponsoring "Italy on the Mississippi," a cruise down the river 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 21. The cruise includes dinner and dancing to the Larry Mantese Orchestra, plus a free ticket for a future day cruise. The cost is \$19.95 per person. For more information, call (314) 621-4040.

The fifth annual chili cook-off will be held in downtown Belleville Friday and Saturday. For more information, call 233-2015.

Collinsville's annual "Italian Fest" will be held tomorrow and Saturday in downtown Collinsville. For more information, call 344-2844.

Okawville Community Park will be the site of the Okawville Wheat Festival Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The festival will feature a pumpkin contest, junior tractor pull, teen dance, craft and food booths, a children's petting farm and carnival rides. For more information, call 243-5972.

## Meetings

The Don-Judy Crohn's Colitis Group will meet tonight at 7:30 in Room 508 at St. Elizabeth's Health Education Center, 200 West Lincoln in Belleville. Anyone with Crohn's Disease or ulcerative colitis is invited to attend. The group's purpose is to help provide reassurance and emotional support to those who are learning to live with Crohn's or colitis. This meeting's topic will be nutrition and vitamin supplements, and the guest speakers will be Marilyn and Lon Blick from Nature Market, Inc. For more information, call 234-2120, extension 1289.

## Ongoing

Charles P. Derleth Jr., a St. Louis artist, will exhibit his pastels at the Towata Gallery, 206 W. Third St., Alton, through Oct. 7. The gallery's hours are 12 to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 462-5926.

## Strike

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The board responded by stating in a press release issued yesterday, "Our teachers were notified as early as Feb. 3, 1988, that we could not make any substantial financial commitment unless and until we received our 1987-88 audit and official state revenues."

"We suggested the teachers' contract be extended until we obtained and evaluated the necessary financial information."

Chief union negotiator Ben Schutzenhofer said last week, "This year, 390 school districts were able to settle contracts before June and another 350 settled contracts before school started. This district refused to bargain before school started."

Stoll added, "We have confronted them with these statistics, but they stand on their position that they do not want to go bankrupt... It's like someone who falls in a manhole once, so now they don't want to walk down the street."

The teachers are demanding a two-year contract with 10 percent raises both years.

The board has offered four percent, with an additional two percent if there is money left over at the end of the year, and a reopener that allows further salary negotiations next year.

Other items being negotiated are retirement incentive programs, health insurance and earned-absence severance pay.

The union is seeking improvements in each of those areas.

The school district addressed the negotiations in its latest press release. In it, the following assertions were made:

"1. Teacher salary increases have been greater than the cost of living increases during the 1984-88 time frame."

"2. Granite City teachers enjoy one of the finest retirement packages available to teachers in Madison County."

"3. Teachers and their families are protected by an excellent health insurance package. (Most districts pay the cost for the employee only. Granite City pays the cost for all of the family.)"

"4. Under the board's offer, a teacher's maximum health benefits will be increased from \$200,000 to \$1,000,000."

"5. Our teachers receive 10 to 15 days paid sick leave a year which can be accumulated 22 days, and upon retirement receive up to \$9,000 for their unused sick days."

"6. Our teachers receive two days of paid personal leave a year plus several types of paid emergency leaves."

"7. Money received from the state aid has been reduced \$1 million in the past two years."

"8. If money received remains the same, the teachers' demand for a 20 percent salary increase would create a debt of \$4 million by the end of the 1989-90 school year."

The union will hold a public forum tomorrow night at 7 p.m. at the Granite City Township Hall, 2069 Delmar Ave. Parents, students and other members of the public are invited.

## Budget

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adopts its budget. There must be 30 days advance published notice of the hearing.

"It is interesting to note that the teachers' union has not made any objections at any budget hearing in the last five years."

"To protect the teachers and other employees against 'under-budgeting,' they have contractually received 'stipends' for the 1985-86 and all later years when actual revenues have exceeded actual disbursements by a stipulated amount."

"A similar offer is 'on the table' for 1988-89."

## Asbestos trials postponed

Trials of the first of more than 2,000 asbestos injury lawsuits have been postponed until next month in Circuit Court at Edwardsville.

Circuit Judge Charles Chapman granted defense motions for a continuance after hearings on Sept. 6. Defense lawyers said they needed more time to prepare.

Ten cases had been set for trial Sept. 12, and another 10 had been planned for each week for the following five weeks. A different judge was assigned to each week's docket. Chapman has handled all pre-trial matters.

Chapman's ruling continued each week's cases for a month, a court employee said.

Filed by industrial workers or their survivors, the lawsuits allege various ailments related to asbestos exposure. Until recent years, the mineral was used widely as an insulation or fireproofing material.

Most of the lawsuits were filed in December 1986. More than 30 defendants are named in the lawsuits. One hearing on pre-trial motions involved more than 100 lawyers but most involve about 40, Chapman said last week.

Chapman said it is impossible to predict how long trials will take.

He said that if all the cases were tried before one judge and if each trial lasted two weeks, then the proceedings would take almost 100 years.



(Photo by Buddy Bortz)

## Opening ceremony

**POW-MIA VIGIL:** Phil Martin of Granite City lights a candle during the opening ceremony of a 24-hour vigil at the chapel of Parks College of St. Louis University in Cahokia on Saturday. Martin is a member of the POW-MIA Vigil Team. The annual vigil is held in remembrance of soldiers from Illinois, not yet accounted for, who served in Vietnam.

## Housing

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Army's only installation in the St. Louis area that provides housing for enlisted personnel.

The construction contract was awarded after competitive negotiations.

Construction supervision of the project will be the responsibility of the Louisville District's Scott Air Force Base Resident Office.

The Louisville District civil works mission encompasses a 75,500-square-mile area of the Lower Ohio River Basin in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio and Tennessee. It operates 20 multipurpose lakes and 14 navigation structures.

The district is also involved in real estate activities, flood control measures, and disaster response, as well as mobilization readiness. The military support mission includes planning, design, construction, and real estate support for Army, Air Force and Department of Defense facilities in Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Michigan.

## Biblical dramatist to appear Sunday

Jim McNeil, a concert artist and biblical dramatist, will appear at Grace Baptist Church, 2600 Edwards St., at 10:45 a.m. Sunday and again at 7 p.m.

In addition to gospel music, McNeil does dramatic presentations of Bible characters.

He received his education at Hannibal-LaGrange College and Oklahoma Baptist University. He has appeared throughout

the United States and in foreign countries, including England, Israel, Greece, Italy and the Netherlands.

McNeil will give a dramatic presentation of the book of James in the morning service and will present the character of Judas in the evening service, said the Rev. Bob Jones, pastor of the church.

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## Italian Fest to start Friday

"Pastatively" the finest Italian fare and a 50-unit parade will highlight Collinsville's fifth annual Italian Fest on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 16 and 17.

The festival, which will run from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday and 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, has been moved from Columbus Day weekend to mid-September this year to help assure better weather.

This year's fest, which also features cooking contests, a craft fair, two evening street dances and a special children's area, promises to be the biggest ever.

Theme of this year's parade is an "Italian Salute to Disney." Fifty units, including floats, marching bands and local celebrities, will travel down Main Street through the heart of Collinsville's business district beginning at 5 p.m. Saturday.

Authentic Italian dishes sold throughout the festival will include polenta with chicken sauce, bagna cauda, tortellini soup, fettucine, mostaccioli, Italian sausage and meatball sandwiches, homemade antipasto and garlic sausage, as well as a variety of pizza dishes. Most will be cooked and served by Collinsville's Italian community.

For the third year, AT&T will offer free long-distance calls to anywhere in the world outside the 618 and 314 area codes at a festival booth.

The American Cancer Society has added a "jail and bail" event for this year's fest. Participants can "arrest" friends or acquaintances for a fee, and the "prisoners" will be released only after raising "bail" for the Cancer Society.

Bocce ball competition for men and women will begin at noon Friday, with competition extending through Saturday afternoon. The festival also will feature tasting contests for homemade wines, pizza-eating competitions and a number of grape-stomping contests featuring local celebrities.

A cooking contest, children's puppet shows, bed races, pony rides and demonstrations by Collinsville's fire department are among Saturday activities on Main Street.

An expense-paid trip to Nashville, Tenn., compliments of McCormick Travel and American Airlines, will be awarded as a prize at the end of the festival.

"We have again placed our emphasis on family fun and entertainment," said festival chairman Pat Tottleben. "We want the entire family to enjoy our community and our annual fest."

The Italian Fest, in downtown Collinsville, is sponsored by Collinsville Progress for the benefit of community civic and social organizations.



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

## Grand opening

**NO FLEAS HERE:** Mike Sikora, left, of Madison, watches as Don Dermott, an employee of Schermer's Garden Shop, 12th Street and Madison Avenue, gives his dog, Benji, a chemical bath for fleas and ticks on Saturday. The free dog dipping marked the grand opening of the shop's feed and pet supply department.

## Blood drive at First Assembly

The First Assembly of God Church, 24th Street and Madison Avenue, will be sponsoring an American Red Cross blood drive on Monday, Sept. 19. The drive will be held in the Fellowship Hall from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Giving blood takes less than one hour. The process includes registration; a health history interview; tests for hemoglobin

content and blood pressure; and refreshments. The actual donation time is four to seven minutes.

"The donation itself is a miniphysical," said Mary Lou Griffin, blood drive chairman for the Tri-City Chapter. "To be eligible, donors must be in good health, at least 17 years old and weigh more than 110 pounds."

## Ruling on Locher overturned

The Fifth District Appellate Court has overturned a contempt citation and a two-weekend jail sentence for Bruce D. Locher, special prosecutor in a Madison County tax assessments case.

Locher, a Springfield lawyer appointed to investigate and prosecute the case, was held in contempt of court and sentenced to jail by Associate Judge Wendell Durr in July 1986.

The jail sentence was stayed while Locher appealed. Durr found Locher in contempt for not following Durr's order that he not seek payment of his fees before any other judge and that he stop billing the county for fees except at rates Durr had authorized.

Locher contended that only Adams County Circuit Judge Dennis Cashman, who appointed him special prosecutor, could set his fees.

Cashman had been assigned by the Illinois Supreme Court to resolve a dispute over the special prosecutor post.

The appellate court ruled that Locher should have been given notice and a hearing before any finding of contempt.

Because the allegedly contemptuous acts occurred outside the judge's presence and because willful contempt was alleged, a hearing was required, the court said.

Persons accused of direct criminal contempt "must be afforded the same rights as any other criminal defendant with the one exception being those cases involving contemptuous conduct observed by the judge within his physical presence, while said judge is in the performance of his judicial duties," the court ruled.

The appellate court said Durr should follow notice and hearing procedures "if the trial court wishes to proceed."

Durr responded to the appellate court order by referring the case to the state's attorney's office.

In a written order, Durr said the state's attorney's office "can review the matter and if it deems the initiating of criminal contempt proceedings appropriate, it may then do so."

The state's attorney's office has taken no action.

In his order, Durr said his only wish "is that the integrity, the dependability, the authority and dignity of the judicial branch of government be maintained so as to avoid embarrassment, hindrance, or obstruction of the court in its administration of justice and so as to avoid the bringing of the administration of the law into disrepute."

Grand jury proceedings conducted by Locher resulted in indictment of six defendants in an alleged scheme to improperly lower property assessments.

Charges against one of the defendants were dismissed and three were acquitted in trials. James W. Barton, former county supervisor of assessments, pleaded guilty to five charges and served three months of a six-month jail sentence. Gerald Bassett, a former employee in Barton's office, was convicted of 10 counts of official misconduct but those convictions were overturned in May by the appellate court.

The appellate court order was entered on July 28 but not filed in the Circuit Court at Edwardsville until Aug. 30.

## Fall foliage cruise set

Walk-On, a support group presented by Thomas Mortuaries, is planning a fall foliage cruise along the Mississippi River aboard the USS President, which is open to the public, on Thursday, Sept. 22.

The cost is \$12.50, which includes a boarding pass for the President and round-trip transportation, via deluxe tour bus, from Granite City to the St. Louis riverfront.

The bus will leave from the Nameoki Presbyterian Church parking lot at 1700 Nameoki Road at 10:30 a.m. and return

to the parking lot at 3:30 p.m. Sept. 22.

"Once aboard the President, you can enjoy lunch in one of the many luncheon areas aboard ship, visit the several entertainment areas, including dancing to the five-piece Mississippi Guide Orchestra, or just sit back on the top deck and enjoy watching the Mississippi shoreline slide by," a spokesman said.

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## Granite City

**Parked auto burglarized**  
William Bone, 1389 Edwardsville Road, reported the burglary from his parked car Sept. 6 of \$6 in coins and a union stamp book worth \$600.

**Church building damaged**  
A spokesman for St. John Lutheran Church, St. Clair and Dale avenues, reported Sept. 6 that someone had thrown a concrete block through a window and torn a shed door off its hinges. The window was valued at \$100, a table inside also damaged by the block was valued at \$150, and the door at \$75.

**Parked car burglarized**  
Dale Muller, 3145 Jill Ave., reported the burglary from his parked auto Sept. 4 of \$3 in change.

**Tools taken from camper**  
John Daley, 50, 2603 E. 23rd St., reported Sept. 5 that a burglar had broken into a camper parked behind his house and taken hand tools valued at \$500.

**Chocolate soda taken**  
Nell Varton, 72, 1715 Chestnut St., reported Sept. 9 that a burglar had broken into a storeroom above her market at 841 Niedringhaus Ave. and taken an unknown quantity of incense and a 6-pack of chocolate soda.

**Accident injures two**  
Two persons were injured in a traffic accident at 12:35 p.m. Sept. 5. A car driven by Jerry L. Weaver, 19, 3238 B Kilmer Drive, struck a car driven by Martha L. Wolfe, 69, 2223 Nevada Ave., as Wolfe attempted to make a left turn onto Madison Avenue from Niedringhaus Avenue. Weaver was given a traffic citation for disobeying a stoplight. Both were taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

**VCR, checks, \$1,150 gone**  
Terri Lynn Barnhart, 1644 Delmar Ave., reported Sept. 4 that a burglar had taken \$1,150 cash, \$1,000 in checks and a video cassette recorder valued at \$360 from her home.

**Aggravated assault with handgun, knife charged**  
Joseph Raymond Jakul Jr., 26, 2535 Sheridan Ave., was arrested Sept. 4 and charged with aggravated assault. Jennifer D. Cotrell, 22, 3304 Kirkpatrick Homes, reported that Jakul was at her apartment and threatened her with a steak knife in his left hand and a loaded .38-caliber revolver in his right hand. Jakul was released after posting \$102 cash bail.

**Car office burglarized**  
An employee of J & M Motors, 2310 Nameoki Road, reported Sept. 5 that a burglar had broken into its office and taken a computer system valued at \$1,800, a 2-line cordless phone, an oval mirror clock and a ski bunny picture.

**Mobile home burglarized**  
Dennis Grimm, 26, 2301 Nameoki Road, No. 1, reported a burglary at his mobile home Sept. 5. Taken were a black and white television valued at \$80, a clock radio worth \$15, eight packs of cigarettes and a portable AM/FM radio valued at \$10.

**Vacuum sweeper taken**  
Tim Hendricks, 28, 2415 Benton St., reported Sept. 5 that a burglar had taken a vacuum sweeper valued at \$80 from his home.

**Stereo taken from car**  
Paul Pierce, 2214 Grand Ave., reported the burglary of an AM/FM stereo valued at \$300 from his car Sept. 6.

**Video recorder stolen**  
Karen Sloan, 2901 Le St., reported Sept. 6 that a burglar had broken into her home and taken a video cassette recorder valued at \$200 and \$2 in cash.

**Woman struck in face**  
Joseph Harry Shemonia, 57, of West 24th Street was arrested Sept. 7 for battery. Shemonia allegedly struck Tammy L. Martin, 24, 2255 Lee St., in the face with the back of his hand while she was at his home.

**Piggy bank, TV taken**  
Tom Holtgrave, 3012 National Ave., reported the burglary Sept. 8 of a piggy bank and a television from his home.

**Jewelry items stolen**  
A sapphire and diamond pendant valued at \$500 and a gold bracelet valued at \$750 were stolen on two occasions from the Schermer residence, 2822 State St., authorities were told Sept. 8.

**Burglar obtains stereo**  
At McCoy's Auto Sales, 1501 Madison Ave., a burglar on Sept. 9 took a portable AM/FM cassette stereo from the office area.

**Apartment ransacked**  
Assorted meat and fish were stolen by a burglar who ransacked the front room at the apartment of Patricia A. Kyle, 1728 Cleveland St., she reported Sept. 10. The intruder also damaged a bed.

**Prowling by man alleged**  
Eugene H. Joyce, 39, 2039a Edison Ave., was charged with prowling when arrested at the rear of 1225 Niedringhaus Ave. at 3:27 a.m. Sept. 10. Joyce, who was released on a notice to appear at a hearing, was being detained by Darrell Crews of the address when police arrived at the scene.

## DUIs

**Auto collides with tree**  
Jeffrey W. McClary, 20, 1709 Courtenay Blvd., was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol Sept. 10 after his car allegedly ran off the road and struck a tree in the yard of Andrew J. Kneek, 4050 Nameoki Road. Reports said the tree was about 40 feet from the roadway and was damaged. McClary was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for a blood alcohol test. A passenger in the car, Jack Est, 24, 64 Kaseberg Road, was taken to SEMC by ambulance.

**Three charges filed**  
After pursuing a motorist Sept. 1 from Illinois 111 at Timberlake Drive onto Interstate 270, a Pontoon Beach officer stopped the car just west of the Illinois 293 exit. Gary L. Kuchnicki, 32, Alton, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, speeding, and fleeing and attempting to elude a police officer. Kuchnicki posted \$102 bail and was released pending a hearing.

**Argument ends in charge**  
Kevin Ray Jeter, 23, who resides in an apartment at 1937 Benton St., was charged with aggravated assault Sept. 9 after he allegedly displayed a knife to Kirk J. Donovan, 27, who has an apartment in the same building.

Donovan said they argued after Donovan complained to Jeter about making noise. The two men went outside the building, where the knife incident allegedly occurred.

Jeter was charged when a knife allegedly was recovered from his auto. He posted \$102 cash bail and was released.

**Cardinal tickets gone**  
Jacqueline Taylor, 64 Park Towne West, told police Sept. 9 that her black purse containing four Cardinal baseball tickets worth \$40 and a checkbook were stolen from her car while the vehicle was parked Aug. 3 at the Monday Maid Laundry, West 23rd Street and Illinois Avenue.

**Missouri men create disturbance outside club**  
About eight men in two cars with Missouri license plates allegedly threw bricks at other vehicles at the Knights of Columbus building while standing in the club's parking lot at 4225 Old Alton Road. It was reported at 12:45 a.m. Sept. 10.

The group reportedly started problems in the parking area and then left in a white Trans Am and a maroon Monte Carlo. Police are continuing to investigate the incident. Glass beer mugs were broken and a Plexiglas door window in the building was damaged.

## Charges follow accident

Scotty R. Arney, 28, 705 26th St., was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol following a traffic crash at 12:48 a.m. Sept. 9. Arney was driving north on Missouri Avenue. It was alleged he attempted to turn onto 29th Street but missed the street and hit a car driven by Jennifer A. Gaumer, 22, 2672 Waterman Ave., who had stopped at Missouri waiting for a train. When arrested, Arney allegedly shoved police. He was also charged with resisting arrest.

## Arrests for DUI made

Hipolito R. Vital, 27, Caseyville, was arrested at 3:52 a.m. Sept. 11 at 20th and Omaha streets and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and improper lane usage. Cynthia Sue Paschedag, 31, of 3243 Maryville Road, was arrested at 11:55 p.m. Sept. 10 on McCambridge Avenue at Sixth Street, Madison, and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and improper lane usage.

## Motorcyclist charged

John J. Marston, 35, 7 Harrison Ave., was stopped by a Pontoon Beach officer in the 4800 block of Pontoon Road at 2:27 a.m. Sept. 3 and was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, speeding and riding a motorcycle without special equipment. He was released after posting \$302 cash bail.

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## Taco order complaints land women in jail for battery

GRANITE CITY — Two disgruntled Taco Bell customers ended up in jail Sept. 7 facing a total of five charges of battery.

Debbie Diane Paoli, 21, 2945 Fehling Road, and Terri Lynne Mueller, 20, 3007 Kirkpatrick Homes, were arrested at 1:55 a.m. behind Taco Bell, 3675 Nameoki Road.

Cathy Jordan, 16, Mitchell, an employee, reported that Paoli and Mueller had received their order at the drive-through window and then started complaining about it. Jordan reported she went outside to see what the problem was and Paoli and Mueller got out of their car and started pushing her.

Jordan said she managed to push away and run to the rear of the building, but was followed

and Paoli and Mueller allegedly began striking her on the face and body.

Taco Bell Manager James Skjersteth, 26, South Roxana, reported he heard the commotion outside the back door and ran out with two other employees.

Outside, Paoli and Mueller allegedly began hitting him.

Police took Paoli and Mueller to the police station and there Paoli allegedly struck a police officer during the booking process.

Paoli was charged with three counts of battery and one count of disorderly conduct. Mueller was charged with two counts of battery and one count of disorderly conduct.

Bail for Paoli was set at \$208 and for Mueller at \$156.

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Sometimes landlords contact this office and indicate that their tenants have stopped paying rent. They wonder what procedure must be followed in order to evict a delinquent tenant. Many property owners inquire about whether they can take matters into their own hands in having the tenant removed by changing the locks or shutting off the utilities.  
In one recent case, a man owned an apartment building, and one of the tenants was three months behind in rent. The landlord had made repeated demands for rent payments, but the tenant had simply refused to pay due to a lay-off at work. The owner in this case had an extra set of keys to the apartment, and he wanted to know if he could remove the tenant's furniture from the apartment.  
In another situation, a man owned a rental house, and the lessee had not paid rent in four months. In this case, the property owner had the utilities listed in his own name. Because the tenant refused to move despite repeated demands, the landlord wanted to have the utilities shut off in the middle of winter. He asked whether such an action would be appropriate given the circumstances.  
Illinois law provides that a property owner cannot take it upon himself to evict a tenant without obtaining a court order. If a landlord removes furniture, turns off the heat, or changes the locks, this is known as constructive eviction. If a lessor does not go to court to have a delinquent tenant removed but rather takes matters into his own hands, he faces the possibility of a civil suit for wrongful eviction.  
What procedures should a landlord follow when a tenant falls behind in the rent? The landlord in this situation would need to serve a notice on the tenant. If the tenant does not leave at the end of the notice period, the landlord will need to file an action in court known as a Forcible Entry and Detainer. Ultimately, the property owner will obtain a judgment for possession, which will require the tenant to move within a specified period of time. If the renter still does not vacate the property, the sheriff will come and forcibly remove the delinquent tenant. For a landlord to attempt to remove a tenant by his own methods without benefit of a court order is foolhardy since this could result in civil liability under Illinois law.  
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## Missing body found

By Ed Gurney  
Staff affiliate

COLLINSVILLE — The question of how authorities could prove the murder of Panama Jax bartender Douglas Roberts without a body became moot when his remains were found last week in the Mississippi River north of St. Louis.

The body was found by boaters on a man-made dike in the river, according to Stacey Ferguson, Calhoun County sheriff and coroner.

Police have said Roberts, 35, of Berkeley, Mo., was murdered March 25 in the big Collinsville night club, Panama Jax security chief Dennis DeLuca, 39, of Collinsville, was charged April 21 with the murder.

Announcement of the recovery of the body was made Sept. 7 by the Illinois Division of Criminal Investigation.

The body was probably in the water four to six months, Ferguson said.

The body was found five miles south of Red's Landing and five miles from Winfield Lock and Dam 25. The site was about six miles from a farm owned by DeLuca, Ferguson said.

Some boaters on the river spotted the body on Sunday evening, Sept. 4. The Calhoun County Sheriff's Department was summoned about 5:30 p.m. and the body was recovered about 8:30, Ferguson said.

An autopsy was performed, but Ferguson declined to discuss details.

Officials at the time of DeLuca's arrest had declined to explain how they could charge the suspect without having found the body.

Documents filed in the criminal case against DeLuca in Madison County Circuit Court provided some clues.

An investigator filed an affidavit that police had learned a security guard saw DeLuca shoot Roberts in the forehead during a heated drunken argument after the closing hour at the night club.

Ferguson said an inquest will be conducted at a later time.

Roberts failed to return home from work the morning of March 25. That afternoon, the Collinsville Fire Department was called to the night club to extinguish a suspicious fire in two storage rooms.

Investigators later accused DeLuca of murdering Roberts and setting fire to the club in an attempt to destroy evidence of the shooting.

Officials said it was arson, but added that the fire did not appear to have been intended to destroy the building.

DeLuca was charged with first-degree murder, armed violence, arson and concealment of a homicidal murder. He is free on bond.



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

## Home destroyed

**FIRE IN VENICE:** Venice volunteer firefighters battle a blaze last week that destroyed this two-story frame house at 600 Washington Ave., Venice. Faulty electrical wiring is believed to have caused the fire. Firefighters were on the scene for more than 2½ hours. William Boelling Jr. is listed on the fire report as the owner and occupant of the home.

## Dispositions

### Sentenced for possession

Timothy M. Joyce, 2010 Bryan Ave., was sentenced July 15 for unlawful possession of a controlled substance.

Joyce, 29, was sentenced by Madison County Associate Judge Charles Romani Jr. to one year of intensive probation, and was ordered to pay \$90 in court costs and a \$737 fine.

The charge was filed Feb. 9 following an investigation by Collinsville Police.

### Man faces probation

Orval J. Moore, 2148 Adams St., was sentenced in July for cannabis possession.

Moore, 24, was sentenced by Madison County Circuit Judge Philip Rarick to 18 months of intensive probation, fined \$120 and ordered to pay \$90 in court costs.

A charge of failure to pay cannabis tax was dismissed.

The charges were filed April 4 following an investigation by Granite City Police.

### Battery draws probation

Charles C. Haynes Jr., 1300

Klein St., Apt. C316, Venice, was sentenced July 11 for aggravated battery and retail theft of under \$150 value.

Haynes, 26, was sentenced by Madison County Associate Judge Edward C. Ferguson to two years probation, including one year of intensive probation, for the aggravated battery charge; and 90 days supervision for the retail theft charge.

A second charge of aggravated battery was dismissed.

The charges were filed April 26 following an investigation by Madison Police.

### Intimidation, weapon use charges dismissed

Charges of intimidation and unlawful use of a weapon against John M. Lindsey, 3164 Jill Ave., were dismissed July 19 by Madison County Associate Judge Charles Romani Jr.

The charges against Lindsey, 23, were dropped following a motion by the state's attorney.

The charges were filed Feb. 16 following an investigation by Granite City Police.

## DUIs

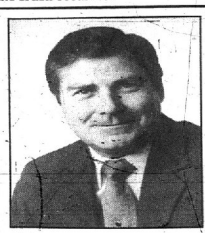
### DUI, hit and run alleged

Lang J. Ehret, 19, Freeburg, was arrested at 1:30 a.m. Sept. 9 and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, leaving the scene of an accident, failure to give information to a police officer and illegal transportation of alcohol.

Ehret was arrested in the 600 block of State Street, Madison. Arrested with her was Deborah Ann White, 32, Cahokia, who was charged with possession of cannabis, illegal possession of alcohol and permitting a person under the influence of alcohol to drive her car.

Two male passengers in the car were not charged.

Police were alerted when a car matching the description of White's struck a parked pickup truck several minutes earlier at BJ's Fourth Street Tavern, 1424 Fourth St., Madison. When police stopped the vehicle, one of the passengers, Kenneth W. Reeves, was driving it. Reeves allegedly said Ehret had been driving when the crash occurred.



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Several open containers of beer were found in the car along with a small amount of cannabis, police alleged.

### Arrested on Illinois 162

Robert Boostrom, 20, of the Price Center, Granite City, was charged by Pontoon Beach police with driving under the influence of alcohol and improper lane usage at 1 a.m. Sept. 8 in the 3500 block of Illinois 162. He was released after posting \$302 cash bail.

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## Man robbed, left stranded

GRANITE CITY — A stranded motorist turned on a 62-year-old East St. Louis man who helped him Sept. 7, taking his car and contents and leaving the man stranded at 14th and State streets.

Henry Ford told police he had given the man a ride from East St. Louis and that the man had directed him in circles around Madison and Granite City. Ford said the man then reached under his white T-shirt and threatened him with what appeared to be some sort of weapon.

Ford said he was told to get out of his car and the man then moved into the driver's seat and drove off.

The thief was described as 22 to 25 years old, 5-5 in height, weighing 135 pounds.

Ford's car was a light green 1978 4-door Chevrolet Caprice. Ford, a professional photographer, reported the car had \$155 cash and camera equipment worth \$2,200 in the trunk.

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## Lost In This Space

By Andy Siering

## I think that I shall never see

(Heavyweight champion Mike Tyson has denied that he was trying to commit suicide when he rammed his expensive luxury car into a tree recently in a presumably unexcused bout.)

While contemplating the stunning amount of news coverage devoted to this, the latest ludicrous development in Tyson's young career, I fell into a dream in which the following events developed:

FLASH! Today, from his retreat in the Catskill Mountains of New York, Mike Tyson explained that he wasn't trying to kill himself; he was trying to kill the tree.

Tyson paraphrased Mr. T while displaying a partial gift for rhyme and meter reminiscent of Muhammad Ali: "I pity the tree that metheth with me. I'll make him pack hith trunk! I'll knock hith bark off, I'll tear him limb from limb."

Meanwhile, in Washington, President Ronald Reagan praised Tyson's "private sector initiative in fighting one of the major causes of air pollution."

Elsewhere, the U.S. Forest Service and fight promoter Don King were locked in a fierce bidding war over Tyson. The Forest Service wanted Tyson's help clearing firebreaks in Yellowstone National Park. King wanted Tyson for a grudge match with Smokey the Bear, to be staged in Donald Trump's Atlantic City casino.

Around the Press-Record, sportswriters were divided over the significance of Tyson's latest bout.

"The tree's bark was worse than his bite," said Carl Jacobs, Sports Editor Dave Whaley offered: "The tree was more mobile than most of Tyson's opponents thus far."

When asked for comment, Tyson's last human opponent (Mitch Green, in an unsanctioned street fight) said, "Huh? What? Did you get its license number?"

Movie star body builder Arnold "The Austrian Oak" Schwarzenegger declared that he could whip any tree that cared to try him "vii von hand behind mein belt."

Things quickly got even further out of hand when a British group offered Tyson 10 million pounds sterling to fight the White Cliffs of Dover. A Brazilian promoter wanted him to take on the Amazon River.

Sensing the possibilities, the World Boxing Association, the World Boxing Council and the International Boxing Federation enlisted battalions of lawyers in a bitter court battle over who would have rights to future bouts between Tyson and geographic formations.

A coalition of the Sierra Club and Friends of the Earth filed legal briefs to prevent the boxing (this unprecedented potential assault on the environment).

"The Still" Chamberlain announced he would fight Mount Everest.

When rumors surfaced that Tyson's next opponent would be the Brooklyn Bridge, a group of civic-minded St. Louis businessmen said it would be to put the Wicket City "back in the big leagues of sports towns" by pitting Tyson against the Serra Sculpture.

The French clamored to see him take on the Eiffel Tower. County Executive Gene McNary offered to build a stadium for the extravaganza in Earth City. St. Louis Mayor Vincent Schoemehl said it was OK with him, as long as McNary would promise to keep the sculpture safe.

British Olympic ski jumper Eddie "The Eagle" Edwards said he would be willing to fight the Dover cliffs or the Paris tower if somebody would pay his fare one-way.

Eying this new development with lordly disdain, the Times of London disparaged editorially the propriety of fights between man and artifacts of technology.

"Tut, tut," sniffed the Times. "Aren't soccer riots unseemly enough? Let us preserve a sporting decorum and deary such spectacles with our every breath."

Finally, fight promoter Butch Lewis, resident in a sequined tuxedo and cello case, announced a news conference that brought everything crashing to a halt.

Tyson had decided to stage a battle royal to the death with the only opponent with a chance of beating him — himself.

## Her students represent the best in American life

By Andy Siering  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — "For Helen," begins the inscription in Helen Kuenstler's copy of a novel by Robert Olen Butler (Granite City High School Class of '63). "Part of you is in this book and all the books I write. My deepest thanks to my finest teacher."

That first sentence is to me the greatest gift of all," said the retired English teacher that several generations of students called "H.K." behind her back.

Kuenstler, 63, took early retirement five years ago after 31 years at the school where teachers are now on strike.

Several months ago, Kevin McIlvoy (class of '71) also sent her a copy of a novel, his first, "The Fifth Station," is set partly in a fictional composite of Granite City and Madison. Accompanying the novel was a letter recalling his youthful impressions of Kuenstler as a teacher.

"I am still in awe of you," he wrote. "If you dislike the novel I will be as heartbroken as I was in 1959 when I couldn't meet my own standards or your standards for me. On the other hand, if you like 'Fifth' without reservation I will worry that you've lost your edge."

Kuenstler said McIlvoy's letter came as a bit of a "jolt," because she never really knew him as well as she knew some students, like Butler for instance.

She looks forward to getting to know McIlvoy when she sees him next month for the first time in 17 years.

Meanwhile, she forms speculative impressions based on his writing, which she says shows "great tenderness," and on his handwriting, which she found "very distinctive."

More than 30 years ago, a student at a girls school in El Paso, Texas, where Kuenstler taught for two years after graduating from the University of Illinois, took a sample of Kuenstler's handwriting to a handwriting expert.

All these years later, she "can't get over how accurate it was." Among the graphologist's observations were:

"She hit upon some things that I could keep a secret and that I'm very organized. That I'm torn between tendencies to be very conservative and very generous and that I really didn't care much for pomp and ceremony."

"He hit upon some things that have become truer as I've grown older.... I haven't studied (graphology), but I think Kevin's handwriting is very unusual."

Notice how Kuenstler returned to the point — McIlvoy's handwriting. In the course of a 90-minute interview packed with digressions and a reporter's questions, Kuenstler represented the philosophical drumbeat of Henry David Thoreau.

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(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)  
VETERAN TEACHER: Helen Kuenstler, formerly of Madison, recalls her classroom experiences over 31 years at Granite City High School.

## Teacher's pet authors: From Adams to White

Helen Kuenstler was only a little worried that all this publicity and her outspokenness would make it hard for her to show her face in public. What is public opinion to a soul that marches to the philosophical drumbeat of Henry David Thoreau?

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tence a principle of prose composition called "parallel construction." Even in conversation, Kuenstler practices what she preached.)

Kuenstler is enjoying an active retirement, free from what she called "the tyranny of time," preferring not to plan her days, but to let them flow in leisurely unfoldings of wonder.

"It feels like every day is just a wonderful gift," she said. "I travel widely — to England, France, China and around the U.S. She attends symphony performances, lectures and movies. (She especially enjoyed the comedy "A Fish Called Wanda," laughing heartily as she recalled it.)

Kuenstler said teaching was "very fulfilling" and enjoyable, though "I sometimes, like anyone, registered disappointments and regret." She finds it "strange" that she doesn't miss teaching. She has not been back inside the school even once.

revised from a thin volume first penned by a former professor of his named William Strunk.

Kuenstler used to buy quantities of the "little book" and sell them to students at wholesale prices. She has this self-taught writer's agreement that "Style" remains the finest and most concise elucidation of prose principles ever written.

Moreover, she believes that "Style" should be must reading for people other than writers and teachers. "Every political figure, every lawyer, every newscaster should read it," she said.

"Between the politicians and the lawyers, they have really subverted language, misused it and abused it."

For all her, in Tennyson's memorable phrase, "love of learning, the sequestered nooks and all the sweet serenity of books," Helen Kuenstler is no bookworm. She relishes the six weeks a year she spends traveling, and seldom reads them.

"I'd rather look at the scenery and observe the people," she said.

"I really felt great dedication and interest when I was teaching... I don't know, I think life is like a series of novels. I came to the end of that one and closed it. I don't feel like a teacher anymore."

But Kuenstler remembers her own teachers with gratitude. "Frances North, the second grade teacher who gave her 'the marvelous skill' of reading; Eva Johannismeyer, the third grade teacher who clipped and sent her a story on Kevin McIlvoy that mentioned her."

"I just love the way the generations are linked," she said.

One more fan letter to Helen Kuenstler — this one, from a soldier in Vietnam. She noted, chuckling, that it was full of grammatical errors and misspellings. But she read it aloud with great tenderness.

You probably don't know who this is. But you probably recognize the poor spelling and improper punctuation. But

believe it or not, I did get a lot out of your class.

Many times when I have stood out in this rain, holding my carbine, I just try to recall some of those writings from my old English class. When I get scared and nervous, I just try to think of your class.

She wrote that soldier an encouraging letter. When he returned safely from the war, he told her the letter was a comfort to him during the war. He took the well-worn letter from his wallet where he had kept it during all those days of rain and fire and terror.

Kuenstler held up the letter from the soldier. "This is from somebody who is never going to publish a novel. But it means just as much to me."

Earlier in the interview, "H.K." had declined to give her opinion on the current teachers' strike. But her final comment on the soldier's letter spoke volumes.

"You can't measure that kind of payment in dollars."

## CAREER-BOUND

## Speaking out:

As education reformers bemoan the state of American education, citing alarming figures on illiteracy, perhaps the views of master educators such as Helen Kuenstler deserve as wide a dissemination as possible.

•On teachers: I think education is at a very low ebb. There are many people who have entered the teaching field who shouldn't be teaching. Teachers should have to take competency tests to prove that they're literate as well as to determine whether or not they are competent in their teaching disciplines.

•On the causes of illiteracy: I think we really do an injustice, a terrible disservice, to children when we don't stop them at a certain grade level — probably the third grade — and make certain that they learn to read.

Standards have become lower and lower for years. There's been so much social promotion because we say we shouldn't scar a child. I think the scars are worse for a teen-ager. Those same children would fail high school courses because they couldn't read, and then they couldn't graduate with their class.

And it scars them for life. I taught many students who had very low self-esteem because they couldn't read. There were certain students I wouldn't call on to read orally because I knew it was just such humiliation and embarrassment for them.

•On teachers who think teaching below the college level is demeaning (she herself turned down a college job): I have never regretted it. I really liked working with that age group. I think you can make a difference at that level. You can reach a lot of kids who don't go on to college.

•Final grade for American education — F-minus: We talk about how many people go on to higher education. Those are just meaningless statistics. They can barely read! Obviously, American education is missing the mark.

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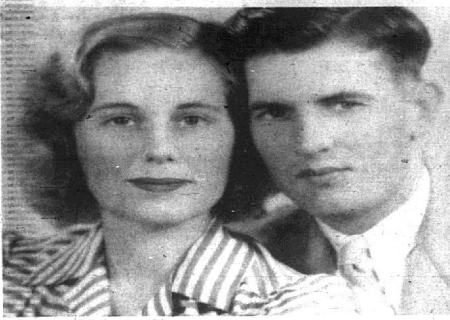
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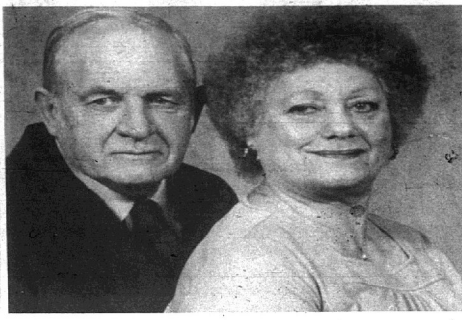
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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Little



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## Littles mark 50th anniversary with family celebration

Edward E. Little and the former Elsa L. Braker celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 10.

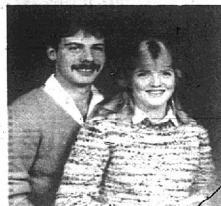
The Littles were married in

Wright City, Mo., on Sept. 10, 1938, by Justice of the Peace A. E. Blatner.

Little retired from the American Steel Foundry as a supervi-

sor after 40 years. Mrs. Little is a homemaker. They are the parents of one daughter, Nancy Sue Thompson, Houston, and have two grandchildren.

The Littles celebrated their anniversary in St. Louis with their daughter and granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Bear.

J. Waggoner and S. Hubbard  
Hubbard-WaggonerGary Maassen and Ann Uram  
Uram-MaassenPeggy Essert and David Fox  
Essert-Fox

Susan Elaine Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hubbard, Granite City, and Jeffrey L. Waggoner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Waggoner, Granite City, have announced their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Hubbard is a 1986 graduate of Granite City High School. She is employed by Credit Systems Inc., St. Louis, as a mail clerk.

Waggoner is a graduate of Granite City High School and is employed by Shop-N-Save, Granite City, as a clerk.

The couple is planning an Oct. 8 wedding at St. John's United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road.

**Marriage licenses**

The following is a list of marriage licenses issued through the office of Evelyn Bowles, Madison County clerk:

Jeffrey W. Golden and Kimberly R. Martin, Gary Steven King and Paula Louise Williams, John David Lakin and Amy Jo Smith, David Eric Pinski and Christy Marie Chosich, and Wayne Leslie Worthen and Katherine Renee Dockery, all of Granite City.

Robert W. Hagnauer, St. Louis, and Christine E. Moser, Granite City.

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Uram graduated from Granite City High School North and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. She is employed at St. Louis University Hospital as a nurse in the emergency room. She is completing a master's degree program in nursing at St. Louis University.

Maassen is a graduate of St. Louis University and St. Louis University Medical School. He is completing a residency in internal medicine at St. John's Mercy Medical Center.

A May 1989 wedding is planned.

Peggy Ann Essert and David Keith Fox, both of New Baden, Ill., have announced their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Essert is the daughter of Herman and Mildred Essert, Breese, Ill. She attended Mater Dei High School and is a 1980 graduate of The Hickey School of Business in Clayton, Mo. She is employed by Mercantile Bank N.A., St. Louis, as operations coordinator for the national division.

Fox is the son of the late Jerry and Barbara Fox, and the grandson of James and Arline Fox, Granite City. He attended Central Community High School, and he is employed by the Lake-side Roofing Co. of Granite City.

The couple plan to be married at St. Dominic Catholic Church in Breese, Ill.

## Sixth birthday marked

Tara Victoria Sander, daughter of Bob and Debbie Sander of Granite City, was the guest of honor at a pool party to celebrate her sixth birthday.

The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Weeks.

Attending were Natalie Judge, Andy Ravanelli, Steve Manier, Josh Smallie, Dustin Wesley, Heather Mercer, Randall Davis, Ryan Davis, J. Fabry, Jessica Duffield, Tim Ferguson, Lauren Wilkinson, Tiffany Choat and Tristan Choat.

Also in attendance were Steven Sander, the honoree's brother, and his guests, Scott Smallie and Jarrod Duffield.

Shawn Weeks assisted as the pool lifeguard.

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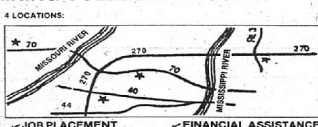
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith

## Griffiths given reception

A surprise dinner reception in honor of Frank and Marilyn Griffith's 25th wedding anniversary was held at Ravenelli's Restaurant on Aug. 24.

A champagne toast was made by Jerry Donley, who was the best man at their wedding.

Attending were: Jennifer,

Mary and Brian Griffith; Tom, Nancy and Thomas Kurilla; Frank and Mary Wondra; Garret Moran; T.K. Sinclair; Jerry and Judy Donley; Richard and Mary Solomon; Joe and Marilyn Zeller; Bill Hood; Ralph and Adele Reeder; and Bob and Sue Kurilla.



Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sykes

## Sykes—Schiller

Marce Ann Schiller and Daniel Eugene Sykes were married Aug. 13 at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Madison, by the Rev. Jim Keefner.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. (Dorothy) Schiller, Madison, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby (Mildred) Sykes, Troy, Ill.

The maid of honor was Kathy Fuller, Granite City. Bridesmaids were Cindi Schaffner and Tracy Cherotti, and Debbie Jacobovich and Val Koelker, both cousins of the bride.

The best man was Barry Watson, Granite City. Groomsmen were Tommy Schiller, a brother of the bride, and Dan Simmons, Bruce Domesick and Dan Dren-

nan. The flower girl was Shelley McCrory, a niece of the groom, and ringbearers were Seth Koelker and Kyle Koelker, both cousins of the bride.

Serving as ushers were Moe Zimmerman, Grafton, Ill., and Terry Johnson, Granite City.

A reception was held at Engelbert Hall, Madison.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Granite City High School and is employed by Mercantile Bank, St. Louis, as a CRT operator.

The groom is a 1978 graduate of Granite City High School and is employed by Granite City Steel as a steelworker.

The couple is residing in Edwardsville.

## For an evening party, try fancy pants, colors

By Lucyann Boston  
Staff affiliate

When it's party time this fall and winter, get set to look bright.

Last year it was OK to wear a short, poufy, minidress that made you look like an understudy for Shirley Temple. This fall you might want to model yourself after Raquel Welch. Curves and sophistication are in; looking cute is out.

"There's a lot more variety," said Karen Bennette, vice president of creative merchandising for Famous-Barr Co. "We're seeing a big shift from last year, which is being led by the decline of the pout and the advent of a more quiet, chic look. Last year was much younger and more frivolous. This year there is a more elegant feeling."

"It's also a more covered-up year. Many strapless dresses come with jackets and if they don't there are jackets you can buy to go over them so it's not so much of a skin show."

"There is a great deal of sportswear influence in evening wear," said Karen Doll, fashion director of Saks Fifth Avenue. "There are cashmere sweaters paired with lace pants and long plaid dresses. Often what resembles long full evening skirts actually are very full pants."

Here is a breakdown of what you can expect to see when you go out shopping for evening finery:

"Draping will play a major part in the styling of evening wear, particularly in dresses. Designers love to wrap a woman's body in multitudinous folds of fabric. This look is a big trend not only with manufacturers of American fashions, but European designers as well. When you consider it also is a big season for stoles and shawls, the folks who manufacture fancy fabrics are in for a good year."

"Evening pants are a strong trend. For more casual evenings they are tailored like daytime trousers and made up in fabrics such as velvet, satin and lace. For dressier evenings, pants take on voluminous dimensions

and often are cut from taffeta and chiffon. Both wide and narrow pants often get topped with high, wide waistbands.

"Bright colors, everything from fuchsia to chartreuse to royal purple, are part of the evening wear picture."

"Watch for dark green and dark brown to emerge as new colors for evening wear. Designers often show them contrasted with bright color."

"When in doubt, stick with basic black. Designers love black by itself and also working together with bright colors. You also will see a lot of basic black accented with collars and cuffs in white satin."

"Beading is another strong trend. It looks most chic when it is used to highlight certain parts of a garment rather than being scattered over everything."

Evening suits, for instance, often are trimmed with beading at the collar and cuffs. A long evening dress may have a single beaded shoulder.

"Fascenterie, which is a long word to describe the scroll-like cord embroidery often associated with military uniforms and Russian tunics, is an important detail on many evening and cocktail dresses. You will see it in both black and gold."

"Beautiful blouses are back in style. Whether they are trimmed with lace, beading or just cut in a shimmering satin, the advent of evening pants has brought back the evening blouse. You most often will see it with full sleeves and in white."

"Evening jackets and vests top everything from the most chic dresses to blouses and pants. You will see them with all kinds of glitter added and with embroidered passementerie trim."

"Rhinestone pins are back in style and the bigger they are the better. To be really in style, wear your pin at your waist rather than on your shoulder."

"Clattering belts, particularly if they combine gold cords or chains and sparkling medallion-style pins, are another glamorous way to accessorize evening clothes."

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# Denim hardly dead; dark shades are in

By Lucyann Boston  
Staff affiliate

Just as with Mark Twain, any obituaries written for the death of denim have been premature.

And there have been plenty of death notices scribbled for denim in the last few years. But that hearty fabric Levi Strauss decided to make into pants instead of tents during the gold rush days in San Francisco has survived. During the past two years color has been the key to making denim look fresh.

Last year, in came the pale shades of acid-washed indigo blue that made cash registers ring. This year pale denim is "out" and dark is "in" with manufacturers touting finishes such as Glacier Wash and Galactic Denim.

"Glacier Wash is a finish Lee has patented," said Jan Henderson, vice president of merchandising for Glik's Ltd. stores. "It's dark denim with white highlights. Normally denim is dipped eight times into a vat of indigo dye. Now they are dipping it 16 times and then washing it down. It's a unique look that is entirely different from last year's frosted denim."

"A lot of blue denim is being overdyed with black to make it look really dark," added Jim Glik, young men's buyer for Glik's for Guys. "There's a new high twist fabrication that provides more texture, more highs and lows. It's really like a fine wrinkle treatment with the wrinkles providing the highlights." While dark may be the latest thing, pale colors are still sell-

ing, "especially at promotional prices," said Jan Henderson, junior sportswear buyer for Gode's Department Stores. And especially where girls are concerned, novelty treatments are responsible for a great deal of fashion interest.

In addition to darker colors, here is what's happening with denim this year:

•Watch the waist. Both paper bag (gathered) waistlines and envelope (folded over) waistbands are hot items; so are jeans that come with wide waistbands and belts.

•Pay attention to the ankles. For women, zippers and snaps will be keeping jeans close to the ankle. You will even see little bows decorating the ankles. Men's jeans also are lapping at the ankle, which creates the look

of a slightly fuller thigh.

•Try out trims. Everything from leather strips to plaid facings are being used to add excitement to denim. Manufacturers also are using special dyeing techniques to create an accent color on the underside of denim. The color looks almost like an inner lining when the jeans are rolled.

•March with the military. For those who don't want traditional looks in jeans, denim pants and jackets are getting the military fatigue treatment and are being made with cargo pockets and patches.

•Pick out the patches. To give denim a whole new feeling some designers are decorating it with colorful patchwork detailing.



**SWEATERS DRESS UP** dark denim in ensembles from Glik's Ltd. and Glik's for Guys. She wears a Croquet sweater, Ono-Step-Up cardigan and Lee jeans. He wears Bugle Boy jeans, a Permit shirt and Concreta cardigan.

## Accessories bring out personality

Men have rediscovered accessories.

Everyone from the businessman to the college student is out to add more flexibility and personality to his wardrobe, so men have turned to accessories, said Norman Karr, executive director of the New York-based Men's Fashion Association.

Such topics as the prevailing color for "power" ties has become a hot topic of conversation at business lunches, said Karr.

What will that color be this fall? Throughout the country, red will remain the power tie color, said Rick Vogler, spokesman for the New Orleans-based Wemyss tie company, one of the nation's largest tie manufacturing firms.

"That's the color all the politicians choose to wear and it's a presidential election year," he said.

Ties will be another important color, he said. And men who are interested in quality are seeking out ties with the design actually woven into the tie rather than printed on the fabric.

Trendy men may want to investigate ties with a black background, oversized medallions, larger polka dots and geometric shapes, inspired by ties of the 1940s and 1950s.

Throughout the market, ties are widening slightly to 3 1/2 inches to coincide with the wider shoulder lines and lapels on suits.

The vest also can be classed as an accessory for fall. Men's fashion experts see knit and checked wool vests being used as a way to give a more casual, country look to traditional suits and blazers.

With evening wear, tuxedo manufacturers are using colorful brocade vests to add excitement to traditional black-and-white ensembles.

Suspenders (or braces) continue a popularity trend that was augmented by the movie "Wall Street." This fall they will show up in fabrics such as wool, glazed cotton and suede.

Pocket squares are another accessory item that is staying popular. For daytime you will see them in colors and patterns that coordinate with a tie rather than match it. For elegant occasions, white still is the favored color.

To fit in with the flexible mood of fall fashion, belts are being offered in crocodile-like finishes, stamped and embossed leathers or accented with hardware so that they span the gap between dressy and more casual moods.

Like suspenders, socks have become a way that men can express their personality without breaking the corporate mold. This fall, added to the colors from previous seasons, you will see miniature houndstooths and subtle foulard-like motifs in wool, cashmere and lambs' wool.

## What's hot for men includes wider ties

Here is a list of men's "in" looks for the fall season.

Neutral colors, cardigan sweaters, vests, full trousers, broad shoulders, houndstooth checks, decorative crests, purple, wider ties and white shirts.

•Styles that are on the way out are:

•Neon colors, plain front pants, bright dress shirts, button-down collars, close-fitting shirts, skinny ties, tight pants, plain crew neck sweaters and tight jackets.

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## Interviews solving crimes

GRANITE CITY — Criminal suspects often talk their way into jail. Fifty-two law enforcement officers from 32 area agencies are attending a three-day seminar to learn effective skills in interviewing and interrogating.

The seminar, sponsored by the Southwestern Illinois Law Enforcement Commission (SILEC), is being held through today at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College.

The technique includes asking suspects a structured set of questions in a controlled environment, said Louis C. Senese, one of five instructors provided by John F. Reid and Associates Inc. of Chicago.

After asking the questions, law enforcement officers can determine guilt 80 percent of the time; of those cases, approximately 75 percent will admit their guilt, Senese said.

"Reid instructors are known for their

superior interviewing skills and the ability to impart state-of-the-art information and techniques to their students so that what is done in the field is both legal and effective," said J.W. "Skip" Bennett, SILEC manager of training.

The seminar was conducted by A. State System of In-Service Training (ASSIST) 14/SILEC representing St. Clair, Madison, Monroe, Randolph, Clinton, Washington and Bond counties.

More than 30,000 public and private law enforcement officials have attended the seminar since it was created in 1974.

The Illinois Local Governmental Law Enforcement Officers Training Board, SILEC and area law enforcement agencies from the ASSIST 14 advisory board provided the funding for the course.

Dr. Harold Johnson, dean of instruction at the Granite City Campus, arranged for classroom facilities.

## Local man shot dead as robber obtains 11 cents

EAST ST. LOUIS — A Madison man managing a grocery store owned by his cousin was shot dead in a robbery Wednesday morning in East St. Louis as the victim's wife and infant son slept in a nearby room.

Mohamed Gergab, 34, was shot twice in the chest and once in the head behind the counter of Cuffman's Grocery, 1201 Piggott Ave., said St. Clair County Coroner Rick Stone.

The local man was pronounced dead at the scene at 1:05 p.m. by Deputy Coroner Albert Ransom.

Gergab's wife, Pamela, awoke when she heard the shots. Her purse containing 11 cents was taken by the killer or killers.

Gergab had been working for his cousin, Wally Gergab, the store's proprietor, for about a month.

## Man found dead in truck

MITCHELL, Louis E. Ennis, 40, a truck driver employed by Ranger Transportation Inc., a trucking company at 3132 S. Chain of Rocks Road, was found dead in a truck at the company Tuesday afternoon.

There was no apparent foul play, said spokesmen for the Madison County Sheriff's Office, Ennis, a resident of the Carterville area, was pronounced dead at 1:40 p.m. by Deputy Coroner Ed Werner. An autopsy conducted Wednesday morning by the office of Madison County Coroner Dallas Burke could find no obvious cause of natural death, such as a heart attack or stroke.

Chief Deputy Coroner Ralph Baahmann, Jr., said Ennis had been dead for several hours when he was found. Baahmann said co-workers of Ennis said they had told of feeling sick that morning.

The coroner's office is awaiting the results of toxicology tests. An inquest will be held in October.

Alexi I. Ennis, 19, a high school senior, was found dead in a truck at the company Tuesday afternoon.

The coroner's office is awaiting the results of toxicology tests. An inquest will be held in October.

## Ambassadors set meeting

The Granite City Ambassadors will hold their annual meeting Monday, Sept. 19, at 6 p.m. in the City Hall. Hours of devotion and refreshments will follow a brief business session.

## Births

Delivered at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

**GIRLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Dohnal, 1816 Fourth St. Madison, Stephanie Marie, born Sept. 11, 1988, 6 pounds, 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Miller, 2205 Grand Ave., Katie Marie, born Sept. 11, 1988, 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brady, 4125 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, born Sept. 8, Kalah Ann, 7 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Odum, 2107 Hildebrand Ave., Madison, born Sept. 8, Megan Michele, 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

**BOYS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Henry Sr., 102 Thomas Terry Apts., Brooklyn, Ronald Eugene Jr., born Sept. 10, 1988, 6 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas, Apt. 1, 1705 Bremen Ave., Cory Jay, born Sept. 10, 1988, 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

## Obituaries

### Lumpkins

Marie C. Lumpkins, 71, Granite City, died at 4:20 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1988, at Edwardsville Care Center West. She had been ill six years and in a nursing home for the same length of time.

Born April 16, 1917, in Granite City, Mrs. Lumpkins was a life-time resident. She was of the Protestant faith.

Her husband, James Lumpkins Sr., died March 10, 1981.

Among the survivors are two daughters, Miss Marilyn Lumpkins, Granite City, and Mrs. Kirk (Carol) Ponseth, Hazelwood; son, James Lumpkins Jr., Boulder, Colo.; and two grandchildren.

Visitation begins at 4 p.m. Friday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where services will be conducted by Salvation Army Capt. Curtis Hartley at 10 a.m. Saturday. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

### Slay

George A. Slay, 78, Alton, formerly of Granite City, died at 7:23 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1988, at Alton Memorial Hospital. He had been ill six months.

Born in Granite City, he lived here for over 30 years before moving to the Alton area. Mr. Slay was a third-generation bricklayer and owned and operated George Slay Brick Contracting Co., Granite City, for 50 years.

Mr. Slay was a member of the Madison Lions Club and the Bricklayers Pension Board in Granite City and was a 55-year member of the Evangelical United Church of Christ, Godfrey. He was a World War II Army veteran, serving in the Pacific, and received a Bronze Star medal for his service.

On May 15, 1929, he married the former Constance Klee, who survives. Other survivors include two sisters, Violet L. Evans, Glen Carbon, and Verna Meyer, Granite City, and nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 9 p.m., today at Elias-Smith Funeral Home, 1313 W. Delmar, Godfrey. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at Evangelical United Church of Christ, 1212 Homer Adams Parkway, Godfrey, with the Rev. Walter H. Krebs officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials may be made to the church or to the American Cancer Society.

City: two daughters, one brother, 15 grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

Visitation was held Tuesday at Kessler Colonial Mortuary, 990 St. Clair Ave., Fairview Heights. Funeral services were Wednesday at Immaculate Conception Church, Centerville, with the Rev. Fred Jones officiating. Burial was at Mount Carmel Cemetery, Belleville.

### Unger

Maxine Dorch Unger, 58, 2431 Grand Ave., was pronounced dead at her home by Madison County Deputy Coroner Loren Davis at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1988. She was ill for the past year and a half.

Mrs. Unger resided in Granite City since 1945. She was born on Dec. 17, 1929, in Tennessee.

Prior to retiring in 1977, she was employed 19 years as manager of the special orders department at Curlee Clothing Co., St. Louis.

Mrs. Unger was a member of Mount Zion General Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, James Unger; two sons, James L. Unger, Granite City, and Jayne Unger, Edwardsville; a daughter, Mrs. Burt (JoAnne) Fields, Belleville; her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Dorch, Tennessee; nine sisters and seven brothers living elsewhere; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Visitation starts at 6 p.m. today at Davis Funeral Home, 2131 Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where services will be conducted by the Rev. Larry Hunt at 10 a.m. Friday. Burial will be at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville. Memorials are suggested for the American Cancer Center, 4000 N. Illinois, Belleville 62221.

### Sendejas

Raymond D. Sendejas, 74, Cahokia, died Sunday, Sept. 11, 1988, at Memorial Hospital, Belleville.

He retired after 32 years as a U.S. postal clerk in St. Louis and was a World War II Army veteran.

Surviving are his wife, Angela (Maldonado) Sendejas, four sons, including John Sendejas, Granite

## Free flowers to be given Oct. 8

The Granite City Park District will have its annual flower giving Saturday, Oct. 8, from 8 a.m. until noon.

The flowers are the annuals that were planted in the gardens in Wilson Park this spring and that must be replaced to prepare for the planting of tulips.

The varieties to be given away are begonia, geranium, periwinkle, salvia, celosia, cockscomb, dusty miller, ageratum and marigold.

Many of these plants will not survive the outdoor season in this area, but may be transplanted into pots and placed in homes

or dried and the seeds removed for planting next season.

John McDaniel, gardener, stressed that there will be no chrysanthemums, cannas, rose cuttings, or perennials given away.

Each person must bring his own container and the flowers will be dug by Park District personnel only.

Since the flower distribution will begin at 8 a.m., no plants will be given away before that time.

The Park District personnel ask that the public cooperate and follow the rules listed.

## Funeral services

Area deaths reported in this week's Sunday and Wednesday newspapers include:

BLASE, Gene, Long Island, N.Y., formerly of Granite City, died early Friday morning, Sept. 10, 1988, in Long Island. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at Stygar Funeral Home, 9825 Halls Ferry Road, St. Louis. Burial was in Missouri.

DONJOIAN, Araxie (Azarian), 81, 1745 Poplar St., died at 9:40 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, 1988, at St. Francis Hospital in Memphis, Tenn. The Rev. Shenork Kaspasian conducted funeral services Wednesday at Holy Shoghagat Armenian Church, Belleville. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., was in charge of the arrangements.

EILERS, Virginia B. (Daughter), 55, Granite City, was pronounced dead at 10:55 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, 1988, at her home. The Rev. Elwyn Wilkinson conducted funeral services Monday at Lahay-Sedlak Funeral Home, 615 Madison Ave., Madison. Burial was in Glen Carbon Cemetery.

GLENDENING, Margaret T. (Saggio), 59, 1520 Chateau Place, Mitchell, was pronounced dead at 10:50 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 11, 1988, at home. The Rev. Avery Morris conducted funeral services Wednesday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Burial was in National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

JAMES, Chester J., 81, Granite City, was pronounced dead at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 11, 1988,

at his home. The Rev. Leon Belt will conduct funeral services at 1 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

JOHNSON, The Rev. Floyd, 80, 316 Hill St., Eagle Park, was pronounced dead at 11 a.m. Monday, Sept. 6, 1988, at his home. The Rev. Rodney J. Howlett conducted funeral services Saturday at Canaan Galilee Baptist Church, Madison. Burial was at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

JOINER, Dawa Eletris, 29, Granite City, was fatally injured in a motorcycle accident. She was pronounced dead at 8:13 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, 1988, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. The Rev. Bob Jones conducted funeral services Monday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

PARKER, Wiley, 35, 4035 Kathy Drive, Pontoon Beach, was pronounced dead at 10:21 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 6, 1988, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center following an automobile accident on Illinois 111. The Rev. A.G. Williams conducted funeral services Friday at Officer Funeral Home Chapel, 1501 Winstanley Ave., East St. Louis. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Millstadt.

RODGERS, Willie H., 77, 4132 Pontoon Road, Pontoon Beach, was pronounced dead at 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, Sept. 8, 1988, at his home. Graveside services were conducted Saturday at Doniphan City Cemetery, Doniphan, Mo.

SAMPSON, Nelson E., 77, Collierville, died at 8:10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 12, 1988, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. A daughter, Dorothy Muniz, resides in Collinsville. The Rev. Ray Trimble will conduct funeral services at 1 p.m. today at Kurrus Funeral Home, 657 N. 57th St., Belleville. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville.

TELLOR, Elizabeth "Betty" (Passig), 71, Granite City, died at 3:15 p.m. Monday, Sept. 12, 1988, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. The Rev. Henry Crippen conducted funeral services at 10 a.m. today at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials may be made to the Kidney Foundation.

WALLACE, Bessie Lee (Ford), 87, 2012 Dale Ave., died at 6:38 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 7, 1988, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. The Rev. Gale Thornton conducted funeral services Saturday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

ZOTTI, Yvonne Marie, 32, 4130 Braden Ave., was pronounced dead at 4:05 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, 1988, at the scene of an automobile accident on Illinois 3. The Rev. Samuel Boda conducted funeral services Monday at St. John Lutheran Church, 2801 St. Clair Ave. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville.

## Trivia

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But the death of a spouse brings about perhaps the deepest trauma of all. In one swift, cruel blow, you have lost your companion, your intimate friend, your protector, your provider, and your partner in marriage.

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You not only suffer the trauma of losing your companion, you

suffer the trauma of losing your entire way of life.

The death of a spouse destroys your social unit and imposes a new role in life upon you at a time when you are trying to overcome that terrible sense of loneliness over the death of your loved one.

How then do you cope with what is one of life's most cruel blows? It is an over-used phrase, but truly time is the best healer.

The depth of your sorrow will diminish slowly, at times even imperceptibly. Slowly, very slowly, the memories of your loved one will become less painful and more joyous. When you are able to cope with the past, you will be better prepared to deal with the future.

As Dr. Earl Grollman writes, "You will be able to strike that delicate balance between a yesterday

that should be remembered and a tomorrow that must be created.

Don't expect it to be easy, and don't be hurt when friends that you and your spouse cultivated over the years suddenly view you in a different light. Remember, we are a couples oriented society.

You may have to seek out new friends. But rather than seeing this as a negative, see it as expanding your horizons. The world is filled with interesting, exciting people.

You will face awesome problems and challenges, but you accept them and cope with them one day at a time, you will in the end triumph over these problems and begin to live a life, while not the same as that you lived with your spouse, one that can be equally rich and fulfilling.



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## Navy electronics whiz, soccer goalie home

By Valerie Evenden  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Alex Paz is doing what he likes to do best. He operates and maintains highly sophisticated electronic warfare systems on one of the Navy's premier class ships and he plays soccer.

Electronic Warfare Technician 1st Class Paz, 26, has major responsibilities in the Combat Information Center aboard the Dwight D. Eisenhower, the U.S. Navy's nuclear super carrier.

He also plays goalie for the All-Navy Soccer Team. Paz comes from a soccer oriented family. He is a son of Alexander and Margaret Paz, 2915 Palmer Ave., and has two younger brothers, Tim and David, who excelled in the same sport.

Alex Paz graduated from Granite City High School in 1979 after playing four years on the varsity soccer team.

In three of those years — 1976, 1977 and 1978 — the GCHS soccer team won the Illinois High School State championships. And in 1975, when Alex was a freshman player, the squad made it to the state championship level.

Paz also played one year on the Belleville Area College soccer team. "We had a pretty good team that year," he said.

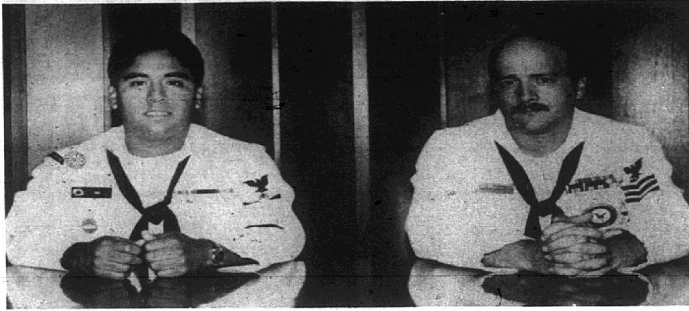
He joined the Navy in 1983, studied at specialized training schools for about 18 months and went to sea on a nuclear cruiser before joining the Eisenhower crew two years ago.

The super carrier is huge and has a complement of 6,000 men. Paz is articulate, bright, good looking and single, and he's home on leave. Well, partially on leave.

For another week, he is working with Petty Officer 1st Class P.J. Fleenor, also a Granite City High School graduate and the Navy career counselor at the U.S. Navy Recruiting Station, 3675 Nameoki Road.

The temporary duty is part of the Navy's Hometown Area Recruiting Program and Paz will be happy to talk with any young person interested in learning what today's Navy has to offer.

Then, he's officially on leave for two weeks. "He's done well," Fleenor said of his temporary assistant. "He must have; he's made an E-6



IN GOOD HANDS. Electronic Warfare Technician Alex Paz, left, who also plays goalie for the All-Navy Soccer Team, is working briefly with Petty Officer 1st Class P.J. Fleenor in a hometown recruitment program. Both men are Granite Cityans.

rating in less than five years."

Fleenor is a 13-year Navy veteran.

Paz was looking forward to working out with the Granite City High School soccer team while home, but the teachers' strike has stopped the practice sessions.

"Maybe it (strike) will be over and I can get to work out before I have to go back," Paz said Thursday.

He needs the workouts, he said, because on Oct. 1 tryouts start for the All-Navy soccer team at Little Creek, Va., followed by the annual All-Service round robin soccer tournament.

Paz' Navy team has bested the three other services — Army, Air Force and Marines — in the last two years.

The tryouts and tournament alternate each year between the services and this season it's the Navy's turn to host the event.

Paz just returned from a six-month cruise in the Mediterranean aboard the Eisenhower, which is the size of a small city.

Along the way, the carrier visited Spain, Italy, Turkey, Israel and France.

Paz and his soccer mates played a few games against teams in the various countries they visited.

"They take soccer seriously over in Europe and they are good. We did play a pretty good match in Cannes, France," he said.

Life aboard a carrier can be different than serving on other Navy vessels.

One of the more unusual and interesting aspects is the Eisenhower's Tiger Cruise.

En route from the Mediterranean to its homeport of Norfolk, a special charter event was arranged by the Navy for fathers, brothers and friends of the crew members.

The special guests were ferried by plane to Bermuda, where they joined the carrier and traveled aboard the ship to Norfolk.

The cruise culminated with an air show.

"They (guests) really enjoyed watching the flight operations," Paz said.

Another family-oriented activity occurs every so often with invitations extended to wives and other family members for a one-day cruise on board the huge ship.

Paz appears happy with his life in the Navy, but he also must look to his future.

Soon, he must make an important decision — whether to reenlist and make the Navy his career.

He has yet to make that decision.

### Terry King

Navy Seaman Terry L. King, son of Julian D. and Janie King, 2529 Northbridge, recently returned from a six-month deployment to the Indian Ocean and Western Pacific aboard the frigate USS Reasoner, homeported in San Diego.

While deployed, King participated in military operations and exercises and made port visits in the Republic of the Philippines, Indonesia, Malaysia, India, Hong Kong, Japan and Washington.

A 1982 graduate of Granite City High School North, King joined the Navy in April 1986.

### Keith Schubel

Keith Schubel of Granite City will receive a cash bonus of \$2,500 with his four-year enlistment in the Army, according to his recruiter, Staff Sgt. Mark McMurray of the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, 3675 Nameoki Road.

Schubel enlisted under provision of the Delayed Entry Program in which a recruit may take up to 12 months after enlisting before beginning active duty.

He also received written guarantee from the Army that he will be training as infantry airborne, the job specialty of his choice. Another benefit for the new recruit is the GI Bill.

Information about benefits of Army enlistment are available from McMurray by calling 878-5850 or visiting the recruiting station.

### Charles Krohne

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Charles E. Krohne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold (Barbara) Krohne, 58 Bermuda Lane, recently returned from a six-month deployment to

the Mediterranean aboard the frigate USS Thomas C. Hart, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

While deployed, Krohne participated in the 38th Activation of Naval on Call Forces Mediterranean, which involved operations with British, German, Italian and Turkish naval forces.

Additionally, he made port visits in Spain, France, Italy, Turkey and Egypt.

A 1984 graduate of Granite City High School, Krohne joined the Navy in June 1984.

### Johnnie Jackson

Marine Lance Cpl. Johnnie L. Jackson, son of James L. Savage, 306 Allen St., Eagle Park, recently reported for duty with the 2nd Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Jackson is a 1986 graduate of Jessup W. Scott High School, Toledo, Ohio. He joined the Marine Corps in November 1986.

### David Nicholson

Army Spec. David G. Nicholson, whose wife, Angie, is the daughter of Vernon and Darlene Thomas, 2536 Dogwood Drive, has arrived for duty at Fort Stewart, Ga.

Nicholson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. (Wanda J.) Nicholson, Plain City, Ohio, is a food service specialist with the 24th Infantry Division. He is a 1977 graduate of Gahanna High School, Ohio.

### Timothy Mullen

Marine Lance Cpl. Timothy D. Mullen, a 1986 graduate of Granite City High School, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at Marine Barracks, Annapolis, Md.

Mullen joined the Marine Corps in March 1987.

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★Last year nearly **400** Illinois school districts settled contracts **BEFORE JUNE**.

(In June, the Granite City Board of Education refused to negotiate with our teachers.)

★Last year, almost **240** Illinois school districts settled contracts during June, July, and early August.

(The Granite City Board of Education refused to even talk about salary and fringe benefits until the first week of school.)

★This fall the Granite City Board of Education has misrepresented to the public facts regarding teacher salaries and contracts.

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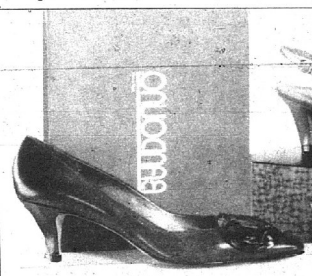
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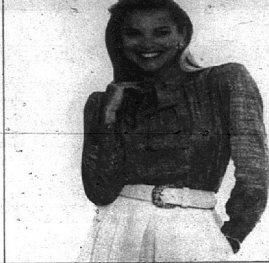
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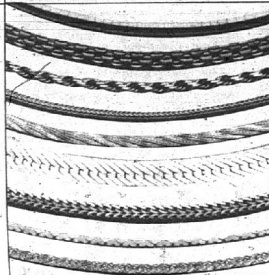
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**ENTIRE STOCK OF CHILDREN'S LEVI'S DENIMS**  
Reg. 12.99-38.99, sale 11.69-35.09. Denim pants, jackets, skirts with fleece shirts in sizes for infants, toddlers, girls' 4-6X, boys' 4-7.  
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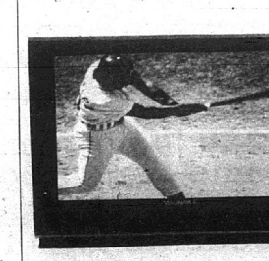
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Reg. \$120-\$125. Choose from every Farah and Haggar sportcoat. Your choice of solids, stripes, plaids and herringbones for fall in sizes 38-48. Wool or poly/wool for the office or out on the town.  
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## SAVE 25%

**YOUNG MEN'S SHIRTS, SWEATERS, PANTS & DENIM**  
Reg. \$20-\$45, sale 14.98-33.75. Knit or woven shirts, striped and solid sweaters, casual and denim pants plus jeans. Great fall styles from Bugle Boy, Tomato, Brad Richards, Michael Gerald and others.  
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## SAVE 10% OFF VALUE PRICES

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Reg. 25.99-99.99, sale 23.39-89.99. ENTIRE STOCK chill-chasing jackets, coats, parkas & snowsuits from Weatherhamer, Rothschild, other famous makers. For infants, toddlers, girls' 4-14, boys' 4-7.  
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\*Excludes Karastan. Area Rugs, except Crestwood.

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**SERTA, SEALY, SIMMONS, STEARNS & FOSTER**  
Save 50% on the ENTIRE STOCK bedding from these famous makers, plus take an extra 10% off the sale prices. Choose from twin, full, queen and king sizes in the firmness and styles you like!  
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Sale ends September 17. Value-priced items identified as "special value" not included in ENTIRE STOCK promotions. Intermediate markdowns may have been taken. Buy now, no payment until February 1989. \$200 minimum purchase. Details in Credit Dept.

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# \$245 million in state funds sought for SIU

State funds being sought to operate Southern Illinois University for Fiscal Year 1990, beginning July 1, 1989, total \$245.2 million, an increase of 18.8 percent over the current fiscal year.

Requests were approved Sept. 8 by the Board of Trustees as part of the Resource Allocation and Management Program (RAMP), the document required by the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE) for communicating the university's planning

decisions and resource requirements for the next fiscal year.

The total proposed increase of \$38.9 million is based principally on the following incremental guidelines: general prices, 5 percent; utilities, 5 percent; library materials, 15 percent; and salaries — faculty and professional staff, 12 percent; chief administrators, 13 percent; civil service employees, except School of Medicine at Springfield, 15 percent; and civil service at School

of Medicine at Springfield, 20 percent.

SIU also is requesting the unfunded recommended increases for FY-89.

The plan also includes requests for increases in operation and maintenance funds to operate new space in FY-90: \$392,100 for SIU at Carbondale, \$210,600 for the School of Medicine, and \$83,600 for SIU at Edwardsville.

Programmatic increase

requests include: SIUC, \$5,862,000; School of Medicine, \$2,426,000; SIUE, \$3,879,700; and Central Administration, \$580,200.

By units, the operating budget requests, excluding retirement contributions, are: SIUC, \$173 million; SIUE, \$69.6 million; Central Administration, \$2.6 million; total, \$245.2 million. The SIUC request includes the School of Medicine; the SIUE request includes the School of Dental Medicine.

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## Brighter lights for Tower Lake

Plans and specifications to replace the lighting in parking lots and the grounds lighting on the perimeter of Tower Lake Apartments at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were approved Sept. 8 by the SIU Board of Trustees.

The board also authorized the executive committee to award contracts to expedite completion of the project before winter. Funded from SIUC student housing revenues, the project is estimated to cost \$190,000.

It provides for removal of 150 existing light standards and replacement with taller, low-maintenance standards with high pressure sodium lights, increasing the level of illumination. Wiring for the new system will be underground. Grounds lighting within building clusters will not be replaced.

Original approval for the new lighting was granted by the board in December, and in June the board approved Buchanan, Sellows and Associates Ltd. as the engineering firm for the project.

## Amateur radio, photography, courses offered

Non-credit classes in photography and amateur radio operation will be offered at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville during the fall quarter.

A course in basic photography will meet Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m., beginning Oct. 1 and continuing through Oct. 15. Classes in advanced beginning photography will meet Saturdays during the same time period, beginning Oct. 2 and continuing through Nov. 5. Registration for either class will be \$35.

A course preparing persons for the novice, technician and general class licensing tests in amateur radio operation will meet Mondays and Wednesdays, from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m., beginning Sept. 26 and continuing through Dec. 5. Registration will be \$91.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the SIUC Office of Continuing Education at 692-2210.

## FEET FIRST

**GETTING THE MASSAGE ACROSS**  
By Dr. Claude Hiles

One of the more pleasant aspects of a visit to the podiatrist may be overlooked is the foot massage. At most, podiatrists recognize that foot massage stimulates circulation, eases tense muscles, and soothes ligaments and tendons. In fact, an entire system of foot-zone therapy, called reflexology, is based on the premise that zones at the bottom of the foot correspond to various organs of the entire body. Reflexology holds that, by rubbing the appropriate "reflex points" on the feet, a stimulative effect can be sent via the nerves to particular areas of the body. Whether one agrees with the concepts of reflexology or not, nearly everyone agrees in the benefits of foot massage.

Structural difficulties causing pain in the feet and legs may also produce chronic lower back problems. Contact a podiatrist when you experience foot pain to ensure early detection of disease or structural disorders. My office is located at 1930 State St. We are a family practice, providing effective treatment for all general foot problems. In-house surgery is also performed. Hours by appointment. BC/BS, John Hancock and Medicare are accepted. Tel. 877-6025.

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Sale ends 9-19-88

## Our Annual '88 Craft Sale Continues!

Hundreds of items on sale! See our 48 page Craft Sale Book filled with fall and holiday specials posted at the stores. These are some examples:

<b>Quality DMC Embroidery</b> 5 skeins 330 beautiful colors 70% cotton.	<b>Ceramcoat Acrylic Paint Sale \$1</b> 12 oz. Many colors available.	<b>Aleene's Tacky Glue Sale \$1</b> 4 oz. in handy squeeze dispenser.
<b>Plastic Canvas By Darice Sale 29¢</b> 10 1/2" x 13 1/2" sheets, 7 mesh.	<b>Country Colors Acrylic Paints 79¢ 2.29</b> Choice of 4 sizes, many colors.	<b>Styrofoam 25% off</b> All sizes, many colors.
<b>1" Ribbon Sale</b> Buy 1 yd. Get 2nd for 1¢	<b>Hanging Silk Baskets 25% off</b> On reg. price. Flower and foliage kits.	<b>'Paint Your T' Color Pens 25% off</b> On reg. price. 3 types in many colors.

• Unfinished Wood Cutouts, reg. 39¢ ea. 10 for \$1  
• Pack of 10 Tealights, for simmering potpourri pots. \$1  
• Christmas & Fall Floral Picks, reg. 39¢ & 49¢ 5 for \$1  
• Cross-Stitch Fabric, 12" x 18", reg. 1.49 25% off  
• Mini Tree Accessories, reg. 49¢ to 22.99 25% off  
• 6-oz. Punkin' n' Spice Potpourri, reg. 5.99 3.99

**PLUS HUNDREDS MORE!** \*off reg. prices

## Dutch Flower Bulbs

**Hyacinth Bulbs 3 Pks \$10**  
7 bulbs per pack. Choose from 6 varieties of high-quality Dutch-grown bulbs. Store stock only.

## King Alfred Daffodils

Pack of 15 Reg. 3.99 **2.99**

The favorite daffodil in America. Noted for its early blooming and bright yellow color.

## Frank's Bulb Food with Bone Meal

5 lbs., for new and established bulbs. reg. 3.49 **2.49**

## Hypoxone 15-ct. Professional Mix

Reg. 4.49 **2.99**

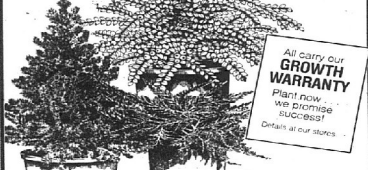
For all potting needs.

## 12" Lined Pot Covers

Several finishes. Reg. 9.99 **5.99**

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## NEW FALL SELECTION ARRIVED! Fall Landscape Improvement Sale



**ALL SHRUBS, TREES and EVERGREENS**

- Reg. 5.99 & 6.99 ... **\$1.00 off**
- Reg. 12.99 & 14.99 ... **\$2.00 off**
- Reg. 19.99 & 24.99 ... **\$5.00 off**
- Reg. 29.99 & up ... **\$10.00 off**

Off reg. prices. Store stock only.

## Loft's LAWN SEED MIXTURES

**TRI-PLEX RYEGRASS 5.88** 3 lbs. Reg. 7.99  
Blend of 3 permanent turf-type ryegrasses. Grows in 5 to 7 days.

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Permanent turf, begins in 5 to 7 days. For sun or shade. Suitable for this area.

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Fine-leaved tall fescue is winter hardy and resists heat & drought.

## All Mulches in Stock 20% off

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## Hardy Mums 3 for \$10

Reg. 3.99 ea. In 6" pots, great assortment of colors and varieties.

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For a quick greening boost and extended feeding of your lawn.  
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**3 1/2 to 5 ft. tall In 12" pots**  
**24.99** each  
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9 of our most popular tropical plants. Choose:

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In 7" pots, reg. 7.99 to 9.99

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- Song of Jamaica

**5.99** each

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**Greenview WinterGreen**  
15,000 sq. ft. Reg. 25.99 **18.99** after rebate!

WinterGreen greens now and prevents a deeper, stronger root system to give you a thicker, richer looking lawn next spring. \*Pay just 23.99 and get 5.00 mail-in rebate from Greenview.

• WinterGreen, 5,000 sq. ft. reg. 11.99. Pay just 9.99, get 2.00 mail-in rebate. Final cost is 7.99.  
• 9.99 WinterGreen, 10,000 sq. ft. reg. 24.99. Pay just 21.99, get 3.00 mail-in rebate. Final cost is 18.99.

## All Spreaders Reg. 39.99 and up \$5 off

Off reg. prices. Choose from any of our quality spreaders in stock and receive 10.00 off. Also, many have rebates to save you an additional \$5.00.

## Frank's Coupon 50% off BULB PLANTER

For planting bulbs to the proper depth. Heavy-duty handle. Reg. 2.99 **1.49**

Must present coupon exp. 9-19-88. Limit 1 coupon per customer.

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Off reg. prices over 10 different styles and sizes to choose. Must present coupon. Limit 3. Exp. 9-19-88.

**STORE HOURS:**  
• Sunday 9 to 8  
• Monday thru Saturday 9 to 9  
We reserve the right to limit quantities.  
Sale ends 9-19-88

# Editorials

## Zone brings 3,110 jobs

The Southwestern Madison County Enterprise Zone received a record 1988 state award for its 1988 statewide enterprise zone conference being held in Collinsville.

Located in Granite City, Madison County, the 10-square-mile zone was praised by the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA) as an outstanding, multi-jurisdictional enterprise zone.

Madison County Board Chairman Nelson Hagnauer, enterprise zone administrator, said the zone has sought to be an effective economic development tool. Formed on July 1, 1985, it has helped encourage private businesses to invest \$50,100,000, retaining 2,750 jobs and creating 360 new jobs in the Quad City area.

Such successes have stemmed from a team effort. Madison County, Granite City, Madison and Venice have worked closely with Madison County Community

Development, the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, Tri-City Regional Port District, Leadership Council Southwestern Illinois, DCCA, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and Madison County's Employment and Training Department.

Since 1982, the state has designated more than 60 enterprise zones. In recognition of southern Madison County's job creation and retention, marketing programs, community support and innovative local incentives, the Madison County zone has been chosen as best in Illinois among zones operated by two or more governmental entities.

Special development incentives here have included property tax abatement, sales tax deduction, machinery and equipment exemption, pollution control facilities exemption, additional business assistance, utility tax exemption, investment tax credit, dividend subtraction, jobs tax credit and loan interest deduction programs.

## Agencies serve many ways

Aiding 22 local agencies, the fall 1988 Tri-Cities Area United Way fund campaign was launched Tuesday. In this and in editorials later this month, the services of specific agencies will be outlined.

**American Heart Association:** Provides programs in the prevention, detection and treatment of cardiovascular disease. Dedicated to reducing premature death and disability from heart attack, stroke and related diseases through research, public and professional education and community service projects.

**ARCH — Alcoholic Rehabilitation Community Home:** Offers residential care for recovering alcoholics. Provides room and board, group and individual therapy, treatment planning, after care, recreation and employment counseling for recovering alcoholic or chemically dependent men.

**American Red Cross:** Provides first-aid and safety courses including a handicapped-swimming program, CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) training, basic swimming instruction and AIDS education. Assists military families and victims of fires and other disasters.

**Big Brothers/Big Sisters:** Conducts a program which matches adults with children

ages 7-14 from single-parent families. The youngsters are in need of friendship and positive adult role models. The "big brother" or "big sister" spends 3 to 5 hours each week with one child.

**Boy Scouts:** Provides character-building programs for 1,003 boys from the Quad City area. Troop activities and camping experiences, teach boys basic values, skills, citizenship and the importance of community involvement.

**Catholic Charities:** Provides adoption services, family counseling, pregnancy counseling, foster care placement and licensing. Emergency financial assistance is also provided to assist with requests when help is not available from other sources.

**CHAST — Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois:** A family-oriented agency which deals with such problems as abuse, neglect, teen-age pregnancy, parenting, adoption and foster care. Subsidized home-based day care is also administered to enable eligible parents to return to school or work.

**Girl Scouts:** Operates character-building programs for 1,070 girls from this community. Camping, activities and troop experiences are provided to girls ages 5-17 to reinforce self-worth and good citizenship.

## Severe death toll in 1988

Metro East traffic has been taking a tragically heavy toll of lives this year, including numerous motorcycle deaths. The loss of life reminds all drivers and passengers (as well as cyclists and pedestrians) of the hazards inherent in high-speed automobile travel, even with seat belts and other safety advances.

Statistics compiled in connection with Emergency Medical Services Week Sept. 18-24 show that motor vehicle fatalities remain the leading cause of accidental death nationwide, totaling 47,900 in a year's time.

Falls account for 11,000 deaths annually, drownings 5,600, burns

4,800, poisonings by solids and liquids (primarily drugs and tainted food) 4,000 deaths, suffocations from ingested objects 3,600, firearms 1,800, poisonings by gases and vapors, 900, and all other types of accidental deaths, 14,400, including medical complications, air transport, machinery, excessive cold and mechanical suffocation.

Although death is inevitable, accidents cut short far too many lives that could be devoted to useful purposes. If there was greater attention to and respect for the risks of the modern world, these sad statistics could be reduced.



## Letters

### Alderman cites safety concern

To the editor:

Concerning your article on page 6A of the Sept. 7, 1988, edition of the Granite City Journal, I would like to make a few comments.

Your article gave the impression that the car speeding down the alley was a first-time occurrence. Quite the contrary, I have been receiving complaints from the neighborhood for the past six to eight weeks about cars driving up and down the alley at speeds estimated at 40 to 50 miles per hour.

Until Monday night, Sept. 5, I was unable to see the car.

While I was attending a barbecue with a group of friends, a car drove down the alley. Gravel and dust were flying everywhere.

At this point I walked down the alley with my brother to see where the car might possibly be. Not being able to find the car, I saw a back door opened and walked up to ask the people if they had seen a brown car going down the alley at a high speed. They told me no.

After I walked back to the barbecue and joined my friends again, it wasn't long before this same car came down the alley.

I again walked to the alley and saw a brown car parked blocking the alley. I proceeded down to where the car was.

My actions that night were exactly as I have explained.

A car driving down an alley at these speeds couldn't stop if they wanted to. A small child would be severely hurt or killed if he or she happened to run out into the alley while playing in their backyard.

If by slowing these people down I have kept this from happening to one child, it is all worth it.

DANIEL PARTNEY  
4th Ward alderman

### School board tactics assailed

To the editor:

Members of the Tri-City Trades and Labor Council expressed their concern over the bargaining practices employed by the Granite City Board of Education in the current contract dispute with Local 743 of the American Federation of Teachers, AFL/CIO.

The failure of the board to man a full negotiating team during the summer, and then naming a team with no power to negotiate, are delaying tactics that have forced the teachers into their present position.

If 50 percent of the school districts in Illinois could settle by June and another 30 percent could settle by the begin-

ning of the school year, why couldn't the Granite City board begin talking to the teachers before mid-August?

Council members voted to send a letter to the Board of Education condemning the bad-faith bargaining practices and urging them to engage in meaningful negotiations with Local 743 in order to bring a swift end to this dispute.

As members of the community, the group is concerned about the situation of stress for the entire community which the Board has created by their action — or, more correctly, lack of action.

TRI-CITY TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL, AFL-CIO

### Law sought by discount stores

To the editor:

Voters in the area should be made aware of a bill now pending in the U.S. Senate that directly affects the availability of discounted brand-name merchandise to consumers.

Passage of Senate Bill 430, "The Retail Competition Enforcement Act of 1988," would mean competitive pricing, leading to lower prices.

The bill is strongly supported by a broad coalition of groups representing consumers, senior citizens, small businesses, labor and trade associations, and the National Association of State Attorneys General.

Substantial opposition to the bill, which has been approved by the House of Representatives and the Senate Judiciary Committee, is being generated by several giant manufacturers through their lobbyists, certain senators repre-

senting special interests and, surprisingly, the U.S. Department of Justice.

If this legislation is defeated, the existence of discount stores will be threatened and consumers most certainly will be paying higher prices.

The tactics of special interest groups generally fail when legislators are confronted with an informed and active electorate.

People should contact their U.S. senators and encourage them to protect all consumers' rights to lower prices and choice of goods.

If consumers fail to make their opinions known on this matter, they likely will be paying higher prices for many name-brand products.

RAYMOND ZIMMERMAN  
Chairman of the board,  
Service Merchandise stores

## Don't forget Flight 847

By Bill Winter

My wife's a frequent flyer. I'm not, but I've taken enough airplane trips to understand, at least partly, the horror that might be felt if an in-the-air hijacking occurred.

Metro East residents vividly recall the June 14, 1985, hijacking in which a U.S. Navy diver, Robert Stethem, was killed at Beirut, Lebanon; 39 Americans, including an Army reservist also singled out by the terrorists, were held for 17 days.

Mohammed Ali Hamadi was captured last year at the Frankfurt airport, where I once landed on a foggy night in 1969.

Despite threats to West Germany, that country put Hamadi on trial this summer and the case is still in progress months later.

Hamadi was caught because explosives were found in his luggage, indicating he has not mended his ways, although he is now picturing himself as Mr. Nice Guy.

He didn't kill Stethem, Hamadi says; he even asked the other hijacker not to carry out the killing, he claims.

The accomplice, Hassan Ezzeddine, is still at large. It's certainly convenient to put all the blame on him.

But the reservist, Kurt Carlson, 41, Rockford, Ill., is setting the record straight. He told the court Sept. 9 that Hamadi led the hijacking, shouted that "one American must die," tied up Carlson, gave him "15 minutes to live," kicked him, and beat him so severely with an iron bar that Carlson prayed for death.

TWA Flight 847 was going from Athens to Rome when it was taken over by the terrorists. I've flown to both cities; "there, but for the grace of God," I also could have become a hostage.

One of the passengers, Peter Hill, testified Sept. 7 that Hamadi proudly waved a gun, called it the murder weapon, and gloated after the Navy man was killed.

Capt. John Testrake, pilot of the jetliner, testified Sept. 12 that Hamadi fired the shot that killed Stethem. He added that Hamadi was the most violent of the terrorists, that Stethem, Carlson and several others had been beaten brutally.

The hijackers belong to Hezbollah, a radical Lebanese Shiite Muslim group backed by Iran. How they could be so cruel in the name of a religion is hard to fathom.

The ordeal hasn't been forgotten, and shouldn't be.

Man's inhumanity to man knows no bounds, but somehow it must be curbed, in the Middle East and everywhere else.

## Readers react

### What do you think about the strike?

As the Granite City teachers' strike begins its second week, what are your feelings about it?



Glenn Eddleman, Granite City

"I think teachers shouldn't go on strike. They're hurting the children. Both sides should have started as soon as school was out last year to settle this."



Lisa Jones, Granite City

"I think they have the right to strike, but I think it's (the 10 percent request) too much to ask for. I'd like to see the children back in school."



Virgil Morris, Granite City

"I'm sympathetic with the teachers. I think they deserve as much as they can get, but I don't know why (the school board and teachers) wait until school starts to get down to talking."

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Avery Schermer



A TWO-STORY brick building at 1201 Madison Ave., Madison, housed the Schermer Brothers department store and also the first home of Avery and Leo Schermer. The building later was destroyed by fire.



Leo Schermer

## Schermer stores still hold high ground after 85 years

By Mike Myers

Staff writer

Seeking higher ground following the Great Flood of 1903, Herman Schermer borrowed \$500 and brought an institution to 1201 Madison Ave., Madison.

The family's 85-year continuous retail operation in the same location is a local record. It is also a local legend.

The flood destroyed a store Schermer and a partner owned in the then-booming port of Brooklyn. Rather than rebuild, Schermer decided to start over in Madison on his own with a small grocery store.

It was not the first tragic turning point in his life. Herman was a 15-year-old living in a small village in Austria when his father died. His five brothers and his mother, expecting her seventh son, decided the best way to overcome the tragedy was to send Herman to America.

Soon after opening in Madison, Herman started sending for his brothers and by 1911 all seven Schermer brothers and their mother had arrived. He eventually built a large brick building that had the store on the ground floor and two apartments on the second floor.

Avery and Leo, Herman's sons, remember one of the apartments as their first home. In the other apartment

lived their grandmother and uncles.

Herman spoke, in addition to German and English, most of the middle European languages. That ability played a large part in the store's success.

The American Car and Foundry Co. came into its own and Madison was flooded with immigrant workers. Able to communicate in their languages, Herman became a trusted leader for the newly arrived.

By 1924, the store had expanded into a full department store that included hardware, clothing, shoes and jewelry departments. It also represented the Cunard Steamship Co. and handled foreign currency exchange for the Mercantile Commerce Bank of St. Louis.

"You see, the men workers came over alone and would send for their families later," Avery said. "He could sell them tickets for their families. If they wanted to send money home, dollars wouldn't do them any good; he would exchange their pay for whatever type money was used in their old country."

"A lot of them made their money and left," Leo said. "He could get the tickets, take the payments, whatever. People trusted him when they didn't bank, and he would save their money for them."

"For awhile he kept deposit books and everything until the bank downtown got jealous and went to Springfield and closed him down for operating a bank without a charter."

Leo remembers it was not uncommon for the clerks in the store to be speaking to seven different customers in seven different languages.

"He always looked upon them as friends," Avery said. "He always figured they were in the same boat he had been in. Over the years he survived a number of panics when other stores went down; he survived because he would just extend credit."

"He always believed it would be short-lived. That finally got him during the depression he was still waiting for it to end when he died in 1937."

Herman was only 57 when he died from complications caused by high blood pressure. During Herman's illness, Leo left law school at Washington University, St. Louis, to run the store. The department store was closed and Schermer's reverted to its beginnings as a grocery.

The family was in dire financial straits and Avery had given up all hope of college.

"I worked for a year," Avery said. "But my mother called around and

found out I could get an academic scholarship at St. Louis University, so I got to go."

Although the scholarship didn't cover all the tuition, the remainder could be paid in monthly installments. Avery paid it from money he made playing in dance bands.

Stanley, Leo and Avery's brother, went into service soon after the start of World War II. Leo went into the Army a little later and Avery, medically exempt from the military, returned to help run the store.

Leo's unit hit Utah Beach on D-Day and spent the next 100 days there, ferrying men and equipment from the ships to the shore. "We opened and closed the operation," he said.

Then, a few days after Leo and Stanley returned from the war, tragedy struck; the store was destroyed by fire.

"During the war, the insurance hadn't been kept up, so we couldn't afford to rebuild completely," Leo said. The grocery store at 1127 Madison Ave., originally a produce sorting building across 12th Street from the brick building, was rebuilt and expanded to its present size.

Avery went to teach at St. Louis University and he later worked for the Office of Price Stabilization. Leo started thinking about selling the store.

"I told him if he was going to sell it, I wanted to buy it," Avery said. "He asked what I wanted to do with it and I said I thought it was a good place for a low-price market. Leo said that if I thought it was a good idea, he'd do it with me."

They went together in October 1952. After Stanley joined them in 1953, the supermarket began operating in its current form.

Stanley was establishing a garden shop on the lot at 1201 when he died suddenly in 1965, and Leo took it over.

Avery retired several years ago and turned the supermarket over to his son David. Leo has turned over the Garden Shop to his son Bill and daughter Gail, but he hasn't retired.

"I only work seven days a week," Leo said.

"One thing my dad taught us is that I guess you'd call the stereotypical immigrant belief," Avery said. "It's that this is a great country and you have an obligation to put something back into it. That's why Leo and I have always been involved in community organizations."

"I guess it's true," Leo said. "I'm always amazed, with a background of a small Austrian village and little education, at what my dad was able to do."

### Professionals

#### Dave Moulton promoted

Dave Moulton has been promoted to director of computers, Glik Stores, the Glik Co. announced. Moulton will also continue to hold his current position of director of audits. The Glik Store chain, headquartered at 3248 Nameoki Road, Granite City, includes Glik's, Glik's Ltd., Glik's Shoes, Glik's For Guys and Glik Development Co. The family-owned chain operates 24 apparel locations including its most recent addition of men's sportswear at Jamestown Mall.

#### Joe Morrison roasted

Joe Morrison is the world's greatest boss, the employees at Tacole restaurant, 3900 Nameoki Road, have decided. Morrison, owner of Tacole, they have decided is kind, gentle, generous, optimistic, handsome, successful and a great cook. "He has a way of bringing out the best in persons and making them feel good about themselves," Lori Pollard, manager, said. "Even when he is down and out, I can count on him to cheer me up." Michael Stadler said. His favorite saying, the employees said, is "Be fair and treat someone the way you want to be treated." That, the employees said, is what Morrison has done.

### Central Banc announces net income rise

Central Banc System Inc., a Metro-East-based holding company, has announced that its consolidated net income for the first six months of 1988 totaled \$990,422 or \$5.99 per share, compared to \$510,105 or \$3.09 per share for the same period in 1987.

Drew Karandjeff, chairman and chief executive officer, said, "The company's net operating earnings were \$577,922 for the first six months of 1988, representing a 13 percent increase

over 1987.

"Loan growth of 12 percent, bringing total loans to \$140,235,000, was the most important factor in the increase in operating earnings."

"However, non-operating earnings resulting from the sale of two bank charters added \$12,500 after tax to the net income for the first six months of 1988.

"Our increase in outstanding loans reflects our commitment to becoming a premier small business lender in the St. Louis

metropolitan market."

Non-performing assets, which include nonaccrual loans, declined to \$3,260,000 or 2.3 percent of total loans at June 30, 1988, compared to \$3,534,000 or 2.9 percent at June 30, 1987.

Central Banc System Inc., with total assets of \$261,383,000, includes Central Bank, with locations in Granite City, Glen Carbon, Fairview Heights and Marine, and Farmers & Merchants Bank of Carlinville.

### Magna Group acquires Bank of Sesser

William S. Badgley, chairman of the board of Magna Group Inc., Belleville, and Robert J. Kirkpatrick, president of Sesser Bancorporation Inc., a one-bank holding company at Sesser, Ill., jointly announced that Magna and Sesser have agreed that the Bank of Sesser will become a wholly-owned subsidiary of Magna.

Magna will acquire Sesser Bancorporation and Bank of Sesser and will issue 257,466 shares of Magna stock for the outstanding Sesser shares. Consummation of the proposed acquisition

is subject to regulatory and shareholder approval. On June 30, Bank of Sesser had total assets of \$36.5 million, total deposits of \$32.8 million, net loans of \$10.7 million, and shareholders' equity of \$3.4 million.

"This acquisition further expands Magna's presence within Illinois. We are excited about the opportunities this acquisition offers in an important southern Illinois market. We are looking forward to working with their management team," said Badgley.

Kirkpatrick said, "We look forward to the merger, which will be beneficial to the bank and to our customers. Many of the retail products and services available through Magna will also be made available to our customers."

Magna Group, a multi-bank holding company headquartered in Belleville, owns 12 banks, a trust company and a data processing company. Magna has agreements pending to acquire First Bancorp of Mascoutah Ltd. and New Holland Farmers Bank of New Holland, Ill.

### About real estate

By Don Campbell



### Try primary lender first in financial emergency

Dear Mr. Campbell:

Five years ago my husband and I were forced to take a second mortgage on our house due to our son's medical bills from an accident. We borrowed about \$6,000 from a finance company. By the time we pay off the loan it will have cost us \$18,000.

Is there any way we can refinance our house to pay off the loan? We are able to make the house payment? Will the mortgage company that has the deed to our house go along with this? How do I go about checking on this?

N.F.

Answer: How I wish you had brought this subject up five years ago. In emergencies like your son's accident it is almost invariably less expensive, faster and more economical to go to the primary lender on your home for financial assistance. You have a proven credit rating with the lender and a second mortgage is excellent collateral.

I have no idea what interest rate you have been paying for the past five years (all interest rates were much higher at that time) but finance companies, whether it's for a secured or an unsecured loan, tend to charge an arm and a leg. What you should have done five years ago is water over the dam. You have recognized it for the bum deal that it is and you should make all haste to get out from under it.

Yes, by all means, go to your primary lender (a bank, savings and loan association or whatever) and lay your cards on the table. I am almost positive that they will be glad to take over this second mortgage and get the finance company monkey off your back. Dear Mr. Campbell:

Do you recommend involving a lawyer at all times when buying a house or other real estate?

E.F.

Answer: You have a deep wish to see me lynched from a lamp post by a horde of angry lawyers, don't you?

In states where a trust deed is used in lieu of a mortgage (the real estate is conveyed to a third party), having a lawyer in on the closing is a rarity. But in mortgage states the reverse is true. You have to judge each case separately. In most commercial real estate deals I would definitely advocate having a lawyer in my corner. In home purchases that have complications (seller carry-back, a lease option, or something along those lines) I also would feel more comfortable working with a lawyer.

Dear Mr. Campbell: In a recent column you discussed deferring the tax on profits in a real estate exchange. Could you help me find an attorney familiar with this?

D.C.

Answer: I'm afraid that I can't help you too much here. But it seems to me that if you asked a local attorney to research the "Starker decision," which I'm sure is covered from a technical standpoint in one or more of the legal reference services to which he subscribes, he should be able to piece it together.

### Three attend seminar

Charles Tzinberg, Mark Goldenberg and Scott Hendricks, principals of the Certified Public Accounting firm of Tzinberg, Goldenberg and Hendricks P.C., recently participated in a three-day program in Chicago, conducted by the Illinois CPA Foundation. The program concentrated on individual and corporate income taxes, estate tax planning, computer consulting, management advisory services and personal financial planning.

### Your items wanted

"Professionals" is available free to all Quad City businesses desiring to recognize management, employee and business achievements. A few paragraphs, along with a snapshot if possible, sent to the newspaper is all it takes to get that extra bit of recognition your co-workers, employees and bosses deserve. Send items to the Press-Record/Journal, 1815 Delmar Ave., Granite City, Ill., 62040.



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

### Helping hand

UNION SUPPORTS UNITED WAY: Members of Bricklayers Local 65 replace broken glass blocks and do other repair work last week on the new offices of the Tri-Cities Area United Way now located in the Koch Building at 1821 Edison Ave. Bob White, left, financial secretary of the local, and Jeff Worthen donated their time to help the United Way. Other union locals have also helped the agency in renovating its new offices.

# After 43 years, it's back to the future for longtime newspaperman

Forty-three years ago tomorrow, I joined the news staff of the *Granite City Press-Record*, now the *Press-Record/Journal*, and I'm happy to remain in that role. It's what I've always wanted to do and I still appreciate the joys of creative, constructive work.

Like the big-city sports editor with vivid memories of baseball greats Rogers Hornsby and Frank Frisch, there is a temptation to talk now and then about past years. But I try to focus on

the future because that's where the action is.

So I'll use as the theme today one of the most popular movies of any generation, "Back to the Future."

A FLEETING GLANCE back to the post-World War II years brings to mind two of my original chores, covering school sports and serving as the mailer. I tied bundles of newspapers hot off the press, using a kind of

rope that was unkind to one's hands.

I was the first person hired by Corky Townsend, *Press-Record* owner from 1944 to 1970, now retired at the Lake of the Ozarks. I never worked for E.E. "Ed" Campbell, who had sold the paper to Corky, but I did get to know Ed, one of the most controversial editors in Illinois history.

Corky went on to fame and fortune and I like to believe I helped him achieve both. We had a small staff (as you might have guessed from my initial sports editor/mailer duties), so however good or bad we were, I obviously was part of it.

LOREN DAVIS, now a Granite

## Regional Roundup

By Bill Winter



City funeral director, and Lance Callis, a prominent Granite City attorney, were among the young *Press-Record* carrier boys I recall handing out newspapers to when I was a teen-ager.

No, they're not as old as me, which is which I mentioned how young they were in those days.

There were other carriers

whose names many readers might recognize, but I won't try to list them.

BEFORE I JOINED the *Press-Record*, I was a stock boy at Woolworth's five-and-dime store in downtown Granite City. Before that, I operated four newspaper routes simultaneously, a bicycle route with afternoon daily papers, a twice-weekly *Press-Record* bicycle route, and Saturday night and Sunday morning sales of weekend papers, both tasks involving pushing a cart.

Incidentally, the princely sum of \$12 a week for part-time tasks was what lured me away from Woolworth's and into the world of journalism. Corky had joined the P-R in 1927 for five less-inflated dollars a week.

HARRY COOK, John L. Fechte, Milton Morris (who is still active) and Louie Rosenstrom were helpful news sources when I became a full-time reporter and was assigned the Madison and Venice areas.

As is still true, news people never relied solely on governmental officers to aid them in keeping track of what was happening.

Mannie Friedman, one of the

few Madison leaders who didn't have any connection with politics, was a tower of strength for years.

IT WAS MIGHTY good to have a friend like Mannie, especially during hectic times when the *Press-Record* was taking unpopular stands against various activities of powerful political-machine bullies.

Mannie helped me join the Madison Rotary Club at the ridiculously young age of 17 and encouraged me to serve as its president when I was 30.

I was a member of that club 23 years and have been a Granite City Rotarian for the past 18 years.

AL MUELLER JR. and Jule Bartels were among the *Press-Record* people with whom I worked closely.

Al was with the paper, I believe, from 1935 to 1969, when he left as general manager to become a Granite City teacher. He is now retired and living in Florida.

Except for society news by the late Mrs. Willie Fay, nearly all the news was written for many years by three of us, Jule, Corky and me. After working here from 1927 to 1970, Jule became a *Globe-Democrat* editor and then retired to the Edwardsville area.

TWO YEARS of my 43 years were actually spent in the Army, where I was a sergeant. But I counted them in the total because I stayed on the payroll, drawing a week's salary each month. I'm not afraid to say that because I did report it to Internal Revenue.

The money was sent to me because Corky was a kind man and soldiers weren't paid much by Uncle Sam. Also, it was an incentive for me to return to the P-R, and it worked.

To help earn it, during Army leaves I showed up at the office and wrote a few stories.

JOINING ME on a few of the trips home were a number of my Army buddies with whom I had been drafted.

The population of Granite City decreased sharply on March 2, 1951. Several dozen of us headed by train for Fort Custer at Battle Creek, Mich.

That group included Nick Mangoff of the Hollywood-Andrews photo studio. I recall some of the others but have forgotten a few of the names. Unfortunately, many of them died relatively young, including former alderman Richard Fry.

LOOKING AHEAD is important at any point in one's life, so let's get back to the future.

Right now, my thoughts are on such things as the Nov. 8 election and a mid-autumn trip to England to visit a niece.

This fall's general election is especially important because it includes so many major decisions by voters, including the occupant of the White House for the next four years and the identity of our congressman for the next two years.

Key ballot questions also include whether to call a convention to rewrite the 1970 Illinois Constitution, and how best to solve this region's increasingly serious floodplain problems.

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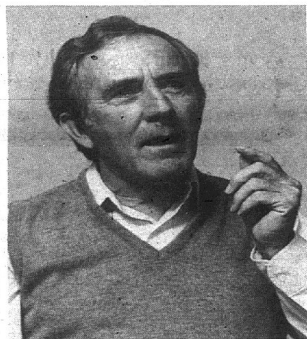
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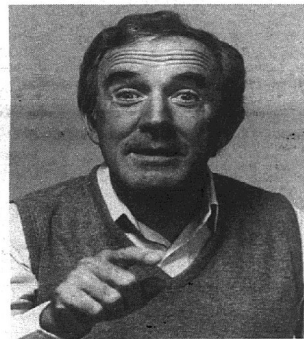
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## Helpers, money needed for Halloween party

A meeting was held at the Chouteau Township Social Center on Sept. 7 to discuss plans for raising money to sponsor the annual Halloween party for children.

The party and costume parade are scheduled from 1 to 3 p.m. Oct. 30 if \$350 can be raised to purchase treats and prizes.

"We need the assistance of and input from township citizens as well as businesses and organizations," said Mona Gant, organizer. "We have called a meeting for Sept. 26 at the Township Hall, 906 N. Thorngate Drive, at 7 p.m., to further our plans and to seek volunteers to help with the party."

The first meeting revealed some "exciting ideas for the benefit of the youngsters," Gant said.

All are encouraged to attend the next meeting with ideas for the party. Those who wish more information should call 931-1354 or 931-6009.

Jim Hicks, assisted by Max Speer, coached the members of

### Mitchell News

Maxine Duniphan  
931-2714

the six-team Mitchell Athletic Club Midgets League to first-place honors in the 1988 baseball season.

The team members are: Jim Hunt, Curt Holmes, Neal Platt, Mike Speer, Jay Hicks, David Sorenson, Brent Baker, Butch Walker, Eric Sloan, Jeremiah Justice, Mickey Walker and Jeremy Stovall.

They were recognized and presented with individual trophies at the Mitchell Fall Festival last weekend.

Lloyd and Ruby Hefner, 4824 Warnock Ave., have returned from Mahomet, Ill., where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Wayne and Retha

Stergeon, and children Holly and Matthew.

With the Hefners were Hefner's brother and wife, Clay and Peggy Hefner, Granite City. The group also browsed through antique and craft shops in Champaign, Ill.

Residents attended school reunions Sept. 10 at the Wappello Civic Center, Wappello, Mo.

Attending were more than 130 former teachers and students from four rural community schools, Fry, McGee, Yokem and Union Hill.

Activities included a basket lunch, visiting and reminiscing. Old school photographs, some dated to the 1800s, were displayed.

Among those attending were: Loy May and Lelaan Payne, Edwardsville; Leroy Hale and

Arzie and Katie Barks, all of Granite City; Doris and Ruth DeCels, and Lyman and Pauline Rodgers, all of Madison; and Clifford and Maxine Duniphan and Lucy Colbert, all of Mitchell.

Visitors were Sam and Addie May Murphy, Vernon Culpepper and Dave Pearson.

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## Lux family celebrates birthday, anniversary

### Madison-Venice News

By Kathy Dohnal  
877-1096

Geoffrey Alexander Lux celebrated his fifth birthday Sept. 12. The celebration included a visit to the dinosaur exhibit at the St. Louis Science Center, a trip to the Zoo and Show Biz Pizza. Geoffrey was accompanied by his brother, Michael; grandmother, Goldie Rozycki; and his parents, Geoff and Alexis.

On Sunday, a family celebration was held at the Lux home in Madison. A dinosaur theme was used, and a "Tyrannosaurus Rex" yard card greeted guests. After a buffet luncheon, gifts were opened and a dinosaur cake was served.

Also attending were: Ron Kelih, James and Charlotte Kozak, Jonathan and Jamie Kozak, Victor and Martha Mance, Rolland and Frances Lux, grandparents Gerald and June Lux, Betty Skiner, and Carole Lux, Elise and Elena Lux, and Val and Helen Kelih.

One week later, Mr. and Mrs. Lux were honored at a 10th wedding anniversary dinner party held at the home of the Mances.

The couple opened gifts and were presented with a cake by Goldie Rozycki. Adorning the cake was the couple's cake top from their wedding day, Sept. 9, 1978. A video was made of the occasion.

Attending the celebration besides the couple's children, Rozycki, and the Mances were Rolland and Frances Lux, Jim and Charlotte Kozak, and Jonathan and Jamie Kozak.

The Birthday Club celebrated birthdays of Louise Tegel and Terri Brunick at the Olive Garden, Fairview Heights, Sept. 1.

Attending were: Mike Yovanovic, Julie Fuzessery, Mary Cromer, Eleanor Tutka, Julie Pearce, Adole Vaseyjak, Katie Obucina, Irene Besserman, Ann

Modrusic, Dolores Brunick and Kathy Ostroec.

The St. Mary's-St. Mark's parents group met Sept. 7 at the school cafeteria.

President Alan Ratkewicz opened the meeting. Kathy Dohnal gave a financial report for the school year of 1987-88. The Rev. Paschal Lobianco spoke on the status of the school.

The principal, Sister Mary John, introduced the faculty: kindergarten, Jackie Hackethal; first grade, Becky Cooper; second grade, Sharon Gagich; third grade, Mary Lou Rogenski; fourth grade, Sister Joan; fifth grade, Cynthia Warning; sixth grade, Joanne Apida; seventh and eighth grades, Peggy Scharf, and music, Janet Hogen.

Scharf reported on the possibility of a boy's basketball team being organized for this year.

The calendar for 1988-89 projects and events was approved. Paula Bailey, chairman of the Holiday Treasure Chest catalog fund-raiser sale, announced the following dates:

"A 'mild' chili supper will be held Sept. 28 at the school cafeteria from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The price will be \$3.50 for an all-you-can-eat style dinner. Gerry Meadez is the chairman of the supper."

"Sister Mary John will conduct the annual school Candy Sale (50-cent bars) beginning Oct. 3."

"A Halloween Party for the children will be held Oct. 28. Co-chairpersons are Betty Skinner and Sharon Gagich. Apida announced that \$1,349 was raised last year in the Jump Rope for Heart project, and the school received a \$100 donation for playground equipment by taking part."

A skating party will be held on the second Tuesday of every month. Chairperson is Mary Lou Rogenski.

The parents' group will provide a bus for grades first, second, and third to go apple picking in Grafton, Ill., on Sept. 21.

The Pot-of-Gold was won by Herelyn Johnson. Attendance prizes were won by Mildred Gajowski, Sister Joan, Shari and Lucille Broadway.

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# Suburban Baptist's Simcosky gets five-year 'roasting'

A roast was given for the Rev. Phil Simcosky, pastor of Suburban Baptist Church, who has completed five years of service. Attending were his wife and sons and other church members. He received several cards and gifts.

Bill Terrell, chairman of the deacons, was in charge of the ceremony. Others taking part were Sam Parks, Walter Smith, Mike Wielgus and Jim Ebersold.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin DePew hosted a DePew family reunion Sept. 10 at their home, 1 Blue Spruce Court.

Family members attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Scroggins and children Cathy, Casey, Kenny and William, and Mr. and Mrs. George Hensley, all of Wood River; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bryan and daughter, Emily, Edwardsville; Mr. and Mrs. Bob DePew, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie DePew and sons Nathan and Chris, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester John, all of Wood River.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halleman and children Phillip and Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Halleman, all of New Douglas,

Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. John DePew, Florissant, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. Brent McNamara and Kathy and Emily Durbin, all of Indianapolis; Esther Rogers, Pinella's Park, Fla.; and Mr. and Mrs. Daren DePew, Kevin DePew and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin DePew, all of Granite City.

The Lester family reunion was held Sunday in Wapawello, Mo., with 75 in attendance.

Family members from this area attending were: Fred and Phyllis Laster and their son, Lonnie, and Frieda Bolling and her children Steven, Jessica and Rebecca.

Others attending were: Paula Brokaw and her children Megan and Brandie, Bardstown, Ky., and Stacy and Sandra McCoy, Memphis, Tenn.

The Baptist Women's Class of Calvary Baptist Church held its monthly meeting Sept. 6 at the church.

President Nancy Horstmeier called the meeting to order with announcements. Edna Stagner read minutes of the last meeting, and Lucella Prosser gave the

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treasurer's report.

Phyllis Knight gave a program on sate missions. Others taking part were Pauline Hall, Thelma Phelps and Ida Kilmer.

Grace Cruise closed with the prayer calendar.

Horstmeier asked for mission action reports concerning the delivery of goods to Phoenix Crisis Center for abused women in Granite City. Kay Andersen reported about the delivery of school supplies to needy families. Hall and Stagner gave associational accounts on preparing children for the school that was held at the church.

The September project will consist of donating breakfast items to Marshall School.

Others attending were Irene Kessler, Delphine Kinder and Tina Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lipscomb have returned from California, where they visited their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lipscomb Jr., and daughter in Sunny Mead.

They also visited Mrs. Lipscomb's brothers, Gene Armes and his family in Plenciekia and Bill Armes and family in Sacramento, her father, Rawleigh Armes; her sister, Vickie, and sons in Redding; and brother suggestions were given for campaigns 20 and 21.

A birthday gift was presented to Mary Allen. Lenore Welty

won the door prize, and Rosemary Marmiro and Shirley Ottlinger were presented their five-year plaques. A 10-year plaque was awarded to Gail Gruwell. "Mrs. Able" figurines were awarded to Irene Hendrickson, Esther Clements and Ruth Ray.

Rose Lux, Clara Winter and Gruwell won gifts in a drawing for the team having the most members present. Another drawing for having the most customers was held, with bonds and gifts awarded to Cora Nance, Rhonda Ringering, Clements, Irene Hendrickson, Gladys Templeman, Merle Chastain, Kathy Gholson and Lillian Rube. Each member present was given a bottle of a new cologne that will be introduced in Campaign 22.

The next meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. Sept. 29.

Laster said there will be an open house, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Oct. 3 through 7, with most products, including the new Christmas line on display at the group's new office on Edison Avenue.

The public is invited.

## Church plans annual celebration

*Editor's note: Hello, out there Pontoon Beach. Lucille Martin invites you to send or call with community news and society items.*

There is no charge for publishing these items, which may include engagements and wedding announcements, anniversaries, news of trips taken or planned, upcoming club events, church news — just about anything happening in your community. The items should not duplicate any previously submitted to the newspaper.

Lucille may be reached at 931-0731.

The annual church celebration of the Pontoon Beach Baptist

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Lucille Martin  
931-0731

Church will be held at Walton's Smorgasbord at Cottonwood Mall Shopping Center at 12:30 p.m. Sept. 25.

The Baptist Men's Camp-Out is set for Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. Interested parties may call 931-1316 for more information.

The Pontoon Senior Citizens had their barbecue on Saturday was a success.

The Youth of Pontoon Baptist Church — including the Rev. Kevin Kerr, Joyce and Jane Kerr, Jill Chaney, Buddy Lampkin, Salena Stephens and Wendy Denton — enjoyed a youth fellowship after the worship service Sunday evening.

Don, Linda and Joey Boswell have returned from Peoria, Ill., where they were guests of Boswell's son, Donnie, and his wife, Linda, and granddaughter, Jamie.

## Moose women focus on child care

Granite City Chapter 247 of the Women of the Moose held a Child Care Night at the Moose Lodge, 19 Adams St., with 30 members present.

Senior Regent Marilou Wilkenson, who opened the meeting, introduced Child Care Committee Chairman Ruth Beck, who introduced committee members.

Wilkenson said checks would

be sent to Mooseheart for the Scholarship and Maintenance Fund and the Easter Fund, the Nursery School and the central kitchen.

New members enrolled were Nina Hoover, Mary Groco and Rebecca Soden. Constance Stillman was voted in as a new member.

Wilkenson gave a report on the annual Moose Conference, held at Pere Marquette Hotel in Peoria, Ill. Besides Wilkenson, attending were: Pat Macke, Mildred Walker, Clara Johnson, George Jean Miller, Sara Guswelle, Edna Miller, Jennie Bilyeu, Mildred Votupal and Marian Lipscomb.

Gerry Sococo, chairman of the Academy of Friendship, gave a report on her meeting. The hostesses for the meeting were

Walker and Sharon McWilliams. Attending were: Miller, Johnson, Guswelle, Irene Godli, Anna Kozma, Wilkenson, Alice Stages, Macke and Lipscomb.

Catherine Coleman, past department regent from Rolle, Mo., gave a speech on harmony and teamwork.

Lunch was served by the Child Care Committee. Game prizes were won by Jean Teller, Soden, Johnson and Connie Kucker.

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## St. John's to host conference

"One in Christ, One in Mission" will be the theme of this year's annual meeting of the Illinois South Conference of the United Church of Christ to be held at St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road.

The conference will be held Sept. 16 through 18. This will be the first time that St. John's will act as host to the annual conference. Chairmen are Don and Harriet Bunselmeyer.

More than 400 delegates, youth and visitors from the 95 churches of the conference are expected to attend the various sessions.

A mission fest and shrimp boil will be the Friday evening opening event, followed by a talk on missionary work by David and Karlyn Stephens and Bruno Schroeder of Back Bay Mission in Biloxi, Miss.

The mission fest is intended to demonstrate how the United Church of Christ is engaged in

missions. Special visitors, slide shows and displays will give the delegates and visitors a first-hand look at the variety of services in which the church is involved, a spokesman said.

Saturday morning's highlight will be the opening service of worship and Communion, with a talk by conference minister the Rev. Martha Ann Baumer.

Saturday and Sunday, the delegates will be asked to approve a new budget for the coming year and elect officers. A variety of resolutions will face delegates. Concerns for the environment, for victims of AIDS and for those who are hungry has prompted resolutions encouraging Illinois South members and congregations to make contributions and support programs addressing these issues.

Concern for the ways in which groups have taken advantage of the difficulties facing farmers in Southern Illinois will be

expressed in a resolution from the Rural Life/Farm Crisis Committee, a spokesman said.

The ministries of New Athens Home for the Aged, Hoytson Children's Home, and Hitz Memorial Home will be honored at the Saturday evening service.

Following the service, the evening will wind down with a party outside under a big tent.

Sunday's activities will begin with morning worship, followed in the afternoon with more business sessions. The meeting will adjourn at 5 p.m.

The senior high youth of the conference churches will be participating in a youth event, which will parallel the annual meeting. Plans call for the youth to join the shrimp boil on Friday evening, then to go to the YMCA and later have pizza. Youth activities will continue Saturday.

The public is invited.

## Navy Mothers

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The meeting of the Quad Cities Navy Mothers was called to order by Commander Mary Ann Rollberg.

Fifteen members responded to roll call. The membership voted to donate \$25 to the Jerry Lewis telethon.

A report was given by Nina Molsinger, a delegate to the National Navy Mother's Convention held in Springfield, Mo. Alternate delegate Mary Koresog gave a short report on the convention.

A report was given on members ill at home or confined to the hospital.

The "mystery" package was won by Clara Layton. Special bingo was won by Jennie Bilyeu and Stella Miller. Other game winners were Marlon Wilkenson, Edna Miller and Hazel Jones.

## Beta Gamma starts fall season

The Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi opened its 1988-1989 sorority year with a Beginning Day Celebration held at the home of Roberta Crawford.

President Vickie Barth informed members about Workshop '88 to be sponsored by the West St. Louis County Council of Beta Sigma Phi. The workshop will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sept. 24 at the Viking Lodge and Restaurant in Sunset Hills, Mo., a suburb of St. Louis.

The treasurer's report was given by Linda Koenig. Vice President Cherrel Beck announced that a tour of the Fox Theater in St. Louis is scheduled for Sept. 17.

After the business meeting, sorority yearbooks for the 1988-1989 calendar year were handed out. Ice cream was served.

Present were Barth, Betty Beck, Cherrel Beck, Donna Bowen, Roberta Crawford, Barbara Hente, B.J. Jones, Linda Koenig, Marilyn Lumpkins and Carolyn Walsh.

On August 24, members of

Preceptor Beta Gamma attended a Tri-City Beginning Day Celebration at the Sunset Hills Country Club in Edwardsville. This event was sponsored by the Edwardsville Beta Sigma Phi City Council and was the first time that chapters from Edwardsville, Collinsville and Granite City were joined together.

As part of the program, each chapter president was asked to give an outline of events planned by their chapter for the 1988-1989 sorority year. Attendance and door prizes were awarded to those present.

A buffet dinner was served and enjoyed by Barth, Betty Beck, Cherrel Beck, Bowen, Carolyn Walsh, Crawford, Hente, Jones, Koenig and Lumpkins.

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## Elected to VFW post

Bill Coyle, Pontoon Beach, has been elected junior vice commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5691 in Collinsville.

A veteran of World War II, Coyle was a member of VFW Post 99 in Decatur for 10 years before transferring to Collinsville last year.

He is retired from the Wabash Railroad, where he was a safety engineer.

Formerly of Granite City, Coyle was active in community and civic affairs. He helped organize the Granite City Association for Retarded Children and Boy Scout Pack 2. He is a member of Triple Lodge 835 in Granite City, Scottish Rite of Southern Illinois, Ainal Temple,



Bill Coyle

and the Tri-City Shrine Club. He is also a member of St. John's United Church of Christ. Coyle is married and has two daughters and three grandchildren in the area.

## Granddaughter crowned Junior Miss

Jennifer Lynn Dineff Murray, 17, Alton, granddaughter of Alexandra Dineff, Granite City, and the late Ted Dineff, was named Illinois' Junior Miss at state final competition in Bolingbrook.

She is the daughter of former residents J. Elaine (Dineff) Murray and Phillip Murray, Alton.

The Alton High School senior was among 21 contestants from the state competing in the scholarship program.

In addition to winning the title, the aspiring opera singer was awarded the "Overall Creative and Performing Arts Award" for her performance of the "Laughing Song" from "Die Fledermaus."

Murray is a veteran of Summerstage, Granite City's community theater group. Among the prizes received were cash scholarships from the Illinois' Junior Miss Scholarship Foundation Inc. and Chicago Coca Cola Bottling Co. in addition to other prizes and scholarship opportunities.

## First Church invites public to hear singer

The Rev. Dale Scheffer, pastor of First Church of God, 2801 Pershing Blvd., invites the public to attend services at 10:30 a.m. Sunday for a concert by singer Carroll Hendrix, a Church of God Minister from Milwaukee.

## Etas hold luncheon

Thirteen members of Eta Chapter, Phi Tau Omega Sorority, attended a luncheon and bridge game at the Sunset Hills Country Club on Aug. 24.

The hostesses for the party were: Dorothy Costello, Ann Tatam, Georgiana Van Buskirk and Mary Evelyn Yench.

The eight guests were: Peggy Burch, Dorothy Harrison, Babe Jenkins, Dorothy LaRose, Elsie Rodell, June Sudholt, Virginia Wofford and Janis Wolf.

Game prizes were awarded to: Lorraine Butler, Dolores Sheridan, Millie Greathouse, Sudholt, Eunice Hutscher, Marsha Ruth Thomas, Mary Hassler, Kathryn Weddell, Rodell and Wolf.

Also present were Hilda Schroeder and Jane Haug.

## Council of Seniors plans games social

The Granite City Council of Seniors will host an Evening of Games at the Township Building, 2060 Delmar Ave., on Sept. 26.

The evening will begin at 6 p.m. with refreshments. Games will start at 7 p.m. All seniors 55 and older are welcome, said a spokeswoman.

Juanita Crawly said anyone who needs transportation may call Gertrude Barkley at 876-8069 before Sept. 19. There will be a charge of 50 cents for each way by the Act Bus Co., she said.

## Eagles Auxiliary initiates eight

Eight members were initiated into Eagles Auxiliary 1126 at the group's August meeting.

They were Lila Moslander, Norma Crenshaw, Mary Stoum, Francis Keating, Vicky Moore, Norma Jones, Catherine Skaggs and Nancy Hand. Darlene Laub was re-enrolled.

One new application was turned over to the Investigating Committee.

The meeting was opened by President Sue Oliver, who announced that she had presented the group's \$200 donation to Sue Mizell for her son's heart operation. Oliver said Mrs. Miz-

ell wanted her to express her thanks to the auxiliary.

Secretary Vincine Zerlan read a letter from Grand Madam President Cathy Wilson, who sent a plaque stating that Rosemary Kell was the membership recruiter for 1987-88.

Oliver and Wanda Aitken will be hostesses for the next meeting.

The Good of the Auxiliary was won by Helen Lipchik and Vincine Zerlan. Lunch was served by hostesses "Fuzz" Hagauer, Angie Buchler and Billie Schueler.

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5:00					Molly Brown Bik Forum	Space Movie BJ/Lobo	Night Flight: Parody	Outdoors Speedweek	Jackie Mason Yankee in	Gomer Pyle Lines	Short Film Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Alice Making Hap.		Stop Smoking Family Guide
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6:00	Kidsongs	Our Times Ninja Turtles		Earth & Sky	Farm Report Sports	News East Side	Little Koala Maple Town	SportsCenter Thr breds	King Arthur's Court	Guns	Bonanza	Farm Report World Tom.		Dry Gulch Superbook
6:30	Beany & Cecil Winnie the	Raggedy Ann Muppet	Kissylur Gummi Bears	Earth & Sky Biography	All Outdoors. Tom.	Capitol Report Business	Elephant Mr. Wizard	Financial Free- dom Achiev-	Outdoor Life Sportsman	Movie: "To Be or Not to Be"	Movie: "Sweet Lor- raine"	Charlando People-People	Weeknd Grdn Gardening	Gerbert Klworldsk
7:00	Pooch Slimer! & Real	Smurfs' Ad- ventures	Smurfs' Ad- ventures	Biography Mister Rogers	Journey/Adv. Roam	At the Movies Van Dyke	Dennis Turkey Telev.	College Youth Secrets	Fishin' Hole Motorweek	National Geo- graphic Ex- plorer	Movie: "Stak- eout"	Business Rpt. City Kitchen	Remodeling Ctry. Kitchen	Rin-Tin-Tin Sky King
8:00	Ghostbusters Scooby Doo	Pee-wee Garfield	ALF	Sesame Street	Home Search	Gomer Pyle Andy Griffith	NICK Rocks Can't/TV	After Marriage Proline	Trucks Cycle Sports	Inside the NFL	NWA Pro Wrestling	Movie: "Puttin' on His Jeffersons	Wish Side/Side	Roy Rogers Lone Ranger
9:00	Bugs Bunny & Twenty Show	Hey Vern Flapl	Alvin & the C. Ed Grimley	Economics Economics	Wrestling	Wrestling	Don't Sit Kid's Court	Perfect Diet Deal-A-Meat	Movie: "The Quick and the Dead"	Movie: "The Quick and the Dead"	Movie: "Tai- Pan"	Soul Train	Outdoors Country Music	Rifleman Cimarron
10:00	College Foot- ball: Notre	Mighty Mouse Storybreak	Saturdays Baseball	Spl. Today Yan Cooks	Movie: "The Buccaneer"	Star Trek	Double Dare Gadget	Dance USA Cover Story	College Foot- ball: Yale at Brown	Movie: "Rad"	ball: LSU at Tennessee	Kung Fu	Miss USA/ USO Tour	Strip
11:00	Dame at Michi- gon State	Feed People Mizzou Ftbl.	Baseball: Re- gional Cover- age	Madeline So. Cooking	Movie: "The Blonde Goes to College"	Star Trek	Prince and the Mauper	Pont All- American	Movie: "Win- ners Take All"	Short Film Movie: "The Survivors"	Major League Baseball: St. Cago Cubs	Remodeling Cntry. Kitchen	CountryClips	
12:00	This/NFL College Foot- ball: Florida State at Clem-			Watercolors Motorweek	Family Jew- els	College Webster	Moby Dick	Championship	Scoreboard	Movie: "I Want to Live"	Andy Griffith New Beaver	Louis Cardinals Cntry. Kitchen	Wish Here Side By Side	Rifleman Gunsmoke
1:00	College Foot- ball: Miami at Michigan	son	Summer Olympics	Nova	Movie: "Gypsy Coll"	Soul Train	Can't/TV Out of Control	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Trouble Check It Out!	Movie: "Over the Top"	B. Hillbillies H's Heroes	Movie: "Three O'Clock High"	T and T	Outdoors Country Music
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3:00	Sign-Off CBS News			National Geo- graphic	Small Wonder Out of World	New Beaver The Sheriff	Kid's Court Looney Tunes	Mike Hammer Gadget Duckula	College Foot- ball: Ohio State at Pitts- burgh	Movie: "The Living Day- lights"	Wrestling Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres	Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Cntry. Kitchen Rock Palace	Rin Tin Tin Crossbow
4:00	News D. Horowitz	News Runaway	News Summer	Justin Wilson Old House	Movie: "Snake It's a Living"	Mama It's a Living	Gadget Duckula	Mike Hammer Gadget Duckula	College Foot- ball: Ohio State at Pitts- burgh	Movie: "The Living Day- lights"	Wrestling Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres	Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Cntry. Kitchen Rock Palace	Rin Tin Tin Crossbow
5:00	California Girls	Great One	Movie: "Sylvia Scarlett"	Movie: "Play Misty for Me"	Beyond To- morrow 1968	Rowan & Mar- tin's Laugh-In	Movie: "A Boy and His Dog"	Rowan & Mar- tin's Laugh-In	College Foot- ball: Ohio State at Pitts- burgh	Movie: "The Living Day- lights"	Wrestling Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres	Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Cntry. Kitchen Rock Palace	Rin Tin Tin Crossbow
6:00	News Barney Miller	News Star Trek:	Olympics Con- tinue	Movie: "Morn- ing Glory"	Fri. the 13th Series	Pro Wrestling World Wide	Rowan & Mar- tin's Laugh-In	Movie: "A Boy and His Dog"	College Foot- ball: Ohio State at Pitts- burgh	Movie: "The Living Day- lights"	Wrestling Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres	Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Cntry. Kitchen Rock Palace	Rin Tin Tin Crossbow
7:00	Jeffersons Taxi	News Next Gen.	Movie: "The White Cliffs of Dover"	Movie: "The White Cliffs of Dover"	Three Stooges	Wrestling Night Gallery	Rowan & Mar- tin's Laugh-In	Movie: "A Boy and His Dog"	College Foot- ball: Ohio State at Pitts- burgh	Movie: "The Living Day- lights"	Wrestling Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres	Movie: "Pro- ject X"	Cntry. Kitchen Rock Palace	Rin Tin Tin Crossbow
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5:00		Lester Family		"Marriage Italian Style"	BJ/Lobo	Cur. George Spartakus	Night Flight: Night Flight	Triathlon: Americas Par-	Liv. Daylights Which Mother	World Dom. It Is Written	Movie: "Sweet Lor-	Alice TBA	J. Kennedy R. Schuller	NewSight '88 Intro. to Life
5:30														
6:00		Newsmakers Eye/St. Louis	World Tom. Wall St. Jml.	Business Business	Robinson Tomorrow	News Capitol Report	Little Koala Maple Town	SportsCenter Bodyshaping	Is Mine? Little Women	Tom & Jerry's Funhouse	Movie: "Cont'd Movie: 'Sun-	Movie: "Cont'd Movie: 'Sun-	Chicago's Heritage-Faith	James Kennedy
6:30														
7:00	Ideas Rabbini	Faith/Future First Estate	Summer Olympics	Marketing Marketing	World Vision	Eastside Discovery	Elephant Mr. Wizard	Racing PGA Tour	Tom Sawyer Movie: "Mr.	Flinstones Tom & Jerry	Movie: "Mr. shine Boys"	Sunday Mass Popeye	Inside/Racing Outdoors	Our Sunday Best
7:30														
8:00	Sunday Mass	Kenneth Copeland		Sesame Street	Bugs Bunny	Jimmy Swag-gart	Dennis Looney Tunes	Magic Years Lighter Side	Mom	Flinstones Andy Griffith	Movie: "My Science Pro-ject"	Visionaries C. Power	Perform: Plus H. Heroes	Lloyd Ogilvie Oral Roberts
8:30														
9:00	Oral Roberts	"Sunday Morn-ing"		Mister Rogers Sq. 1 TV	Tarzan	Ethiopia 88 Beauty Test	NICK Rocks Can't on TV	Sports/Tr's This Week in Lit	Movie: "Big Trouble in Lit-tle China"	Good News Movie: "The Man Who Shot Liberty Bells"	Movie: "Born in East L.A."	Movie: "The Quest"	Inside/Racing Motoworld	Gerbert Lone Ranger
9:30	Schuller David Brinkley	Face Nation		Sesame Street	WWF Super-stars	NWA Pro Wrestling	Don't Sit Kid's Court	Sports NFL Gameday	Movie: "Cat Ballou"	Movie: "Valance"			Rodeo	Rifleman Cimarron
10:00														
10:30	Face to Face	St. Louis NFL Today	Meet Press NFL Live	Spl. Today McLaughlin	Movie: "An Eye for an Eye"	World Class Wrestling	Duckula Gadget	All-American Wrestling	Auto Racing: NASCAR De-laware 500	Movie: "The Whistle Blower"	Movie: "Flashdance"	Lone Ranger Baseball	Motor Mania	Strip
11:00														
11:30	Perception Expression	NFL Football: Phoenix Cardinals at Tampa Bay Buccaneers	NFL Football: Regional Coverage	Wash. Week Wall St. Week	Eye	Movie: "The Killers"	Lassie Zoo Family	Master	Movie: "Rol-over"	Movie: "The Whistle Blower"	Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres at Atlanta	Movie: "2010"	American Sports Caval-	Rifleman
12:00														
12:30	Alice Waltons	neers		F. Line/Bias Moyers)	Louis Cardinals - cago Cubs	Movie: "Youngblood"	Hand-Me-Down Kid	Can't/TV Out of Control	Check It Out!	Continues	Retreat No Surrender	Braves	cago Cubs	cade Inside/Racing
3:00	Movie: "Please Don't Eat the Daisies"	NFL Football: Giants at Dallas Cowboys	Summer Olympics	Secret Gov't/Constitution	Refusnik Diary	Movie: "Bring-ing Up Baby"	Movie: "Amer-ican Justice"	Amy and the Angel	Riptide	Horse Racing: Maryland Mill	"House II: The Second Story"	Gomer Pyle New Beaver	Movie: "Un-der Cover"	Perform. Plus Auto Specialty
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5:00	News Turnabout													
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6:00	MacGyver	60 Minutes	News Summer	Adventure Adventure	Movie: "Or-deal of Dr. Mudd"	21 Jump Street	Gadget Duckula	Tales of the Gold Monkey	NFL Scra-pbook	"Friday the 13th - the Movie"			Drop Every-thing & Read	Rin Tin Tin Snaphshot
6:30														
7:00	Gro. Pains Head of Class	Murder, She Wrote	Olympics North	Canada: True North	"Mudd"	Most Wanted With Children	Rowan & Mar-tin's Laugh-In	Financial Free-dom Achieve-	SportsCenter	NFL Theatre: Crunch Time	Final Chapter: Louis Ande-rson	National Geo-graphic Ex-plorer	Movie: "Flashdance"	For Kids' At the Movies
7:30	Who's Boss? Strangers	Movie: "Rock-abye"												
8:00														
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9:00	ABC News Closeup		Summer	By the Sword II	News-watch W. Herzog	Duet It's a Living	Rowan & Mar-tin's Laugh-In	Financial Free-dom Achieve-	SportsCenter	NFL's Great-est Moments	Movie: "Hell-raiser"	Child. Fund J. Robinson	Movie: "Heli-raiser"	Performance American
9:30														
10:00	News USA Today	News Runaway	Olympics Con-tinue	Doctor Who	Cindee's Sec. World Tom.	Star Search	Continues	Making Fun European Hair	NFL's Great-est Moments	Movie: "Heli-raiser"	Child. Fund J. Robinson	Movie: "Heli-raiser"	Performance American	Larry Jones John Osteen
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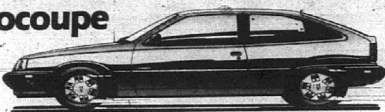
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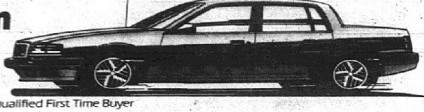
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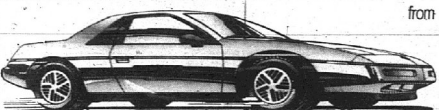
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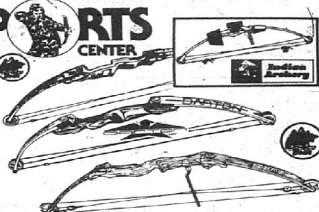
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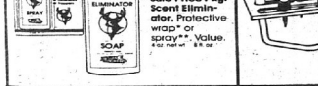
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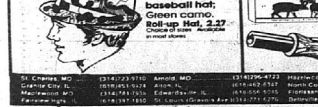
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## State news

### Legislation aimed at trade schools

Gov. Jim Thompson has signed legislation aimed at curtailing fraudulent claims by trade schools in Illinois.

The bill sets requirements for private business and vocational schools. It defines enrollments, modifies the application process and establishes a refund policy.

The bill also changes the composition of the Private Business and Vocational Schools State Advisory Council, shifting the majority away from school owners to include licensed teachers, former students and one high school vocational counselor.

"We will not tolerate matchbook schools whose sole purpose is to take advantage of those in need," Thompson said.

### Rehabilitation clients to take part in survey

The Department of Rehabilitation Services is conducting its most comprehensive survey ever undertaken to measure the satisfaction of current and rehabilitated clients.

The year-long survey is being conducted by mail and is expected to be completed by next summer. Ten-thousand cases have been randomly selected. About 20 percent are expected to respond.

Help in completing the survey is available by calling the Client Assistance Program at 1-800-641-3889. Copies of the survey may be obtained by writing to Mike Martin, Survey Coordinator, P.O. Box 19429, Springfield, Ill. 62794-9429.

### Crafts marketplace planned at Rend Lake

A Southern Illinois Arts and

Crafts Marketplace will be built at or near the Rend Lake Welcome Center, Gov. Jim Thompson has announced.

Two years ago the state of Illinois purchased the DuQuoin State Fair and restored it to its original splendor," Thompson said. "That decision has had an extremely positive impact on the area. Thousands of new tourists flow through the gates every year. I anticipate the Southern Illinois Arts and Crafts Marketplace will provide another boost to the local economy."

A steering committee has been directed to formulate a proposal by Jan. 1 so that construction can begin next year.

### Telephones for deaf to be installed

Telecommunications Devices for the Deaf (TDDs) are being installed at offices of the Illinois Department of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse throughout the state. The move is intended to reach out to the estimated 10,000 to 15,000 deaf substance abusers in Illinois, Director William T. Atkins said.

The TDD resembles a typewriter with a computer and the keyboard is used to communicate with deaf callers. Messages are displayed on a screen and printed out on a narrow roll of paper.

Area regional offices include Plaza Health Care in Wood River and the Comprehensive Mental Health Center of St. Clair County in East St. Louis.

### National Guard plans brigade headquarters

The National Guard in Washington, D.C., has selected Illinois to

locate a newly formed brigade-level headquarters, effective June 1, to be stationed in Rockford. The new unit will be known as the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 404th Chemical Brigade, and will have responsibility for two or more chemical battalions, parts of which are in California and Nevada.

"This is another example of the increasing role the Illinois Army National Guard is playing as a full partner in the nation's total defense force," said Maj. Gen. Harold G. Hoesinger, the state's adjutant general.

### Heritage Preservation will be tax checkoff

Gov. Jim Thompson has approved legislation allowing state taxpayers to contribute to the Heritage Preservation Fund, which maintains cultural and historical resources, through a checkoff on state income tax forms.

Any contribution indicated on the state tax form will be withheld from the taxpayer's refund, deposited directly into the fund, and allocated to the Historic Preservation Agency. Other checkoff funds include those for non-game wildlife conservation, child abuse prevention, Alzheimer's Disease research, the U.S. Olympic Committee and assistance to the blind.

### School news welcomed

News items about Quad-City schools are welcomed by the Press-Record/Journal. Send items to: Paul Guggina, Granite City Press-Record/Journal, 1815 Delmar Ave., Granite City, IL, 62040.

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## Sports Comment

By Dave Whaley

## Mon-Clair team here a natural

A Mon-Clair League team here in Granite City? Bring 'em on. The planning is still in its very early stages, but the groundwork is being laid to field a top-flight amateur baseball team here, possibly by next summer. That would nicely round out the local summer sports scene. I grew up liking all sports and still do. But I've come to enjoy baseball more than any other as far as covering it in the newspaper. Those laid-back summer evenings at Varsity Field just can't be beat.

The high school athletes get plenty of attention, and deservedly so. But a Mon-Clair League team here would give those players too old for American Legion baseball a chance to play the game they love for a few more years.

It seems like a natural. Not having Granite City in the league just doesn't seem right. To outsiders, Granite City is known mostly for its soccer and its wrestling. What is obscure is that this is an outstanding baseball town. If Woody Moad can get the backing to bring this idea to fruition, that will become obvious.

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GRANITE CITY — Attention: Local amateur baseball fans. Think you've seen the last of recent Granite City High School standouts like Darin Hendrickson, Todd Hinterser, Scott LeVaut and Jamie Hogan? That old gang broke up last year. But there's a chance at least some, if not all, of that group could be back together on a baseball field next summer.

A move is under way to land Granite City a team in the Mon-Clair League. Former Granite City alderman Woody Moad, whose son John completed a very successful high school career last summer, is trying to organize support and sponsorship for a team.

"I've been doing some work on it," said Moad. "The nice thing would be to get a local business or two to sponsor the team. We would probably have to get something going to raise funds. We're probably talking about \$4,000 to \$5,000 for the first season, with uniforms and everything."

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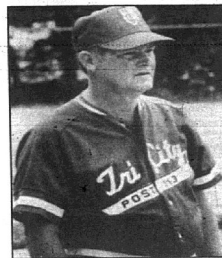
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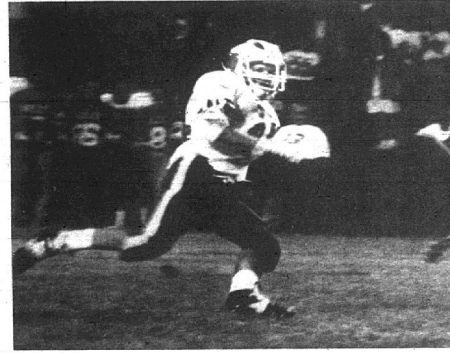
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IAN SMITH (1) tries — to no avail — to get away from Columbia's Scott Germain during the Trojans' 43-8 home loss last Friday.

## Trojans, fans will need patience

By Mike Blackshere  
Correspondent

MADISON — The key word for Trojan football fans this year is patience.

The Trojans are 0-2 and have given up 70 points while scoring only eight on the young season. After reaching the state Class 3A playoffs last year, there were high expectations for the program this year. But playoff hopes are the last thing on the minds of the Trojan coaches and players for now.

"We are going back to the basics," said Trojan coach Don Smith. "We are starting all over again. After three winning seasons in a row I thought the program would perpetuate itself

and remain successful. But I don't know if we are going to be any good this year or not."

"They'll try again for their first win tomorrow when they host Pittsfield (1-1) at Sam Dymally Memorial Field at 7:30 p.m. The Saukes of coach Curt Simonson were 6-4 last year and made it to the first round of the Class 3A playoffs, just like the Trojans.

Pittsfield is best known for the school's 64-game winning streak from 1966-73. The Saukes had seven straight 9-0 seasons from 1968-72 and won their opener in 1973 before losing the second game. That monumental streak has spawned a winning tradition through the years, so it doesn't figure to get much easier for

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Thursday, Sept. 15  
VOLLEYBALL: East St. Louis at Granite City, 7:30 p.m.  
GOLF: Collinsville & Alton at Granite City, 4 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 16  
FOOTBALL: Granite City at Belleville West, 7:30 p.m.  
MISSISSIPPI VALLEY CONFERENCE  
JERVISVILLE at CIVIC MEMORIAL, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 17  
SOCCER: Granite City at Belleville West, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, Sept. 18  
VOLLEYBALL: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Sept. 20  
SOCCER: Granite City at Belleville West, 7:30 p.m.  
Madison at Waterloo, 7:30 p.m.  
GOLF: Belleville East & East St. Louis at Granite City, 4 p.m.  
TENNIS: Granite City at Belleville, 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept. 21  
TENNIS: Granite City at East St. Louis, 4 p.m.  
Note: All sporting events involving Granite City High School will be cancelled as long as the teachers strike lasts.

## Prep football

Friday, Sept. 16  
Southwestern Conference  
GRANITE CITY at Granite City, 5 p.m.  
Alton at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
JERVISVILLE at CIVIC MEMORIAL, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Masco at Havana, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 17  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
East St. Louis at Chicago, 10 p.m.  
Kankakee Bishop McNamara at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Alton at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 18  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
Mississippi Valley Conference  
JERVISVILLE at CIVIC MEMORIAL, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Masco at Havana, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 19  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
East St. Louis at Chicago, 10 p.m.  
Kankakee Bishop McNamara at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Alton at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 20  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
Mississippi Valley Conference  
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East St. Louis at Chicago, 10 p.m.  
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## Scores

Thursday, Sept. 8  
SOCCER: Granite City at Belleville East, cancelled, teachers strike  
GOLF: Collinsville won GC Granite, Granite City cancelled, teachers strike  
Friday, Sept. 9  
FOOTBALL: Granite City at Granite City, cancelled, teachers strike  
MISSISSIPPI VALLEY CONFERENCE  
JERVISVILLE at CIVIC MEMORIAL, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Masco at Havana, 7:30 p.m.  
CROSS COUNTRY: Granite City at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 10  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
East St. Louis at Chicago, 10 p.m.  
Kankakee Bishop McNamara at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Alton at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 11  
Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
Mississippi Valley Conference  
JERVISVILLE at CIVIC MEMORIAL, 7:30 p.m.  
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Masco at Havana, 7:30 p.m.  
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Dupo at Red Bud, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 12  
Freeburg at Collinsville, 7:30 p.m.  
East St. Louis at Chicago, 10 p.m.  
Kankakee Bishop McNamara at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.  
Alton at East St. Louis, 10 p.m.

## Standings

Southwestern Conference  
Football  
Team Conf. W L T W L  
East St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0  
Belleville West 0 0 0 0 0  
Collinsville 0 0 0 0 0  
Alton 0 0 0 0 0  
GRANITE CITY 0 0 0 0 0

Southwestern Conference  
Soccer  
Team Conf. W L T W L  
Collinsville 1 0 0 2 0  
Belleville East 1 0 0 2 0  
GRANITE CITY 0 0 0 1 0  
Belleville West 0 0 0 1 0

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## Kahoks win Warriors' scramble

By Jim Woodcock  
Staff affiliate

Not many have benefitted from the Granite City teachers strike so far. But the Collinsville High School golf team profited Saturday.

The story behind what some feel is the top highlight ever for the Kahok golfers doesn't exactly follow a predictable script. "Ready!"

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## District 9 K Corner

High school varsity basketball team will play a game at Belleville West on Thursday.

Football.....1  
Soccer.....6  
Volleyball.....4  
Golf.....5  
Tennis.....2  
Cross country.....2

worthy is:  
—The Kahoks have never before been invited to this event.

—The Kahoks again weren't asked to play in the tourney this year.

(See GOLF, Page 3D)

## Girls state select tryouts this fall

Tryouts for the 1989 Illinois Select Team in girls soccer will be held this fall.

Girls may try out in one of three age groups. Birth years are:

Under 18: 1971-72; Under 16: 1973-74; Under 14: 1975 and younger.

The first tryout was held last Saturday in Chicago. Other tryouts will be Sept. 17 at Sangamon State University in Springfield, Toronto, Road exit of Interstate 55, Under 18 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., Under 16 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Under 14 noon to 2 p.m.

Sept. 24 at Naperville North High School, Mill and Ogden Streets, Under 18 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., Under 16 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Under 14 1:30 p.m.

Oct. 8 at Grigsby Junior High School in Granite City, Pontoon Road off Highway 111, Under 18 9 to 11:30 a.m., Under 16 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Under 14 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

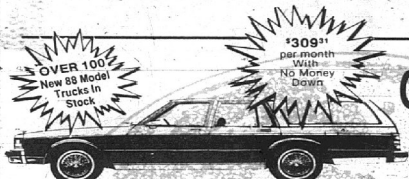
Oct. 15 at Sportscore Fields in Rockford, Riverside Blvd. exit of Interstate 90 and west to N. Main St., Under 18 9 to 11:30 a.m., Under 16 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Under 14 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Any girl is eligible to try out. Girls are invited to attend more than one preliminary tryout. There will be \$10 fee for the first tryout. All subsequent tryouts are free.

Finalization in all age groups will be Oct. 29 at Sangamon State. These final tryouts are by invitation only. For more information, call state administrator Flo Dyson at 312-934-4992 or state coach Gene Briggs at 876-4719.

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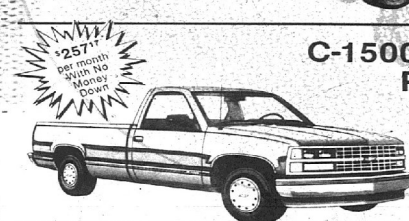
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we could get him," said Moad, who was a coach for Post 113 American Legion team this summer. "Greg Patton is another good baseball man. I'll organize the team, but I won't coach it. I'm a fan more than a baseball man."

"But the big thing now is getting the money to do it. We need a couple of big sponsors, like Pepsi or National Steel, something like that. After that, we could be real good. We have five guys playing college ball right now and there's lots of others." Actually, there's more than that, playing college ball. In addition to Hendrickson, LeVault, Hinterser, Moad and Dippel, there's Richie Wilson,

Pat Cathey and Erric Gray. Others like Charlie Collins and Tim Patterson could help form a very solid team.

"There's a \$175 fee to be paid at the start of the year," said Greenwald, a 1969 GCIS graduate who had a brief minor league career before starting a long, successful amateur career in the metro area with the Granite City Merchants of the old Inter-City League. "Then it's \$100 for umpires for each home game. That is paid to the league treasurer at the start of the year; then checks are sent out to each team each week to pay umpires."

The season starts in May and the league playoffs run through early September. Mon-Clair

League games are double-headers each Sunday. In addition, the league teams play single games in the Wednesday Night League. There are separate playoffs for that league, so it is possible for a team to win two league championships in one summer.

"We'll get into both leagues," said Moad. "We'll have a 20-man roster and have a full schedule. Everybody will get plenty of chances to play. We can have a pretty good team for several years if we could get everyone to play together. I think they would."

"Granite City would be the logical place if we add a team," said Greenwald. "I played here in the Inter-City League from

varsity games, the Trojans don't have much depth.

The lack of depth is due partially to a decline in enrollment. Enrollment at Madison High School is down to about 380 students. There are only so many football players to be found at a school that size.

Combine all those factors and it means the fans should be patient. It does not look like another playoff season for the young Trojans. It looks like a learning season.

That doesn't mean a winning season is out of the question. Senior tailback Ian Smith has not been a factor in the first two games, but is capable of exploding for a big game to carry the team. Part of the reason Smith has been so ineffective is a lack of blocking by the young offensive line. However, it is up to Smith to keep his head up and lead this team by example.

Don Smith has been very upset with the way the team has fared in the first two games.

"We gave up three touchdowns in the last five minutes in the Columbia loss and that is terrible," Smith said. "I have to teach this team not to give up."

## •Golf

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season until the host Warriors had to cancel their appearance due to the Granite City teachers strike.

Heien ended up running the tournament.

Somehow, it all added up to a victory over 11 teams.

The Kahoks clipped Edwardsville, which is 155-1 in dual meets since 1982, in Saturday's scramble format (two-man teams in each of three fights).

205-206. Third-place Belleville East finished with 214.

It's not that Granite City has snubbed Collinsville. When Granite City created this event long ago, its popularity was such that every team in the inaugural Granite City Scramble insisted on returning.

So there hasn't been a new entry to the tourney until last week. That's when Heien was asked to bring his Kahoks to fill for the Warriors, who cannot compete while the teachers in District 9 remain on strike.

The catch to the invitation from Warrior coach Russ Chappel was that Heien had to run the tournament in his absence.

"That wasn't such a big deal," Heien admitted. "They pretty much had all the paperwork finished for me. I just had to make sure coaches had the info they needed and that sort of thing."

Following Collinsville, Edwardsville and Belleville East were Salem (215), Mount Vernon (216), Alton (217), Centerville (218), O'Fallon (218), Mascoutah (222), Jerseyville (230), Wood River (233) and Roxana (244).

"I don't know how they're going to do it, but they have to have us back in the scramble next year," Heien said. "We'll have everyone back and we have this year. And how can we have a tournament like that without having the defending champions there?"

## •Trojans

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sure of revenge as they defeated the Eagle sophomores 20-0 on Monday night. Tony Treadway rushed for three touchdowns. Unfortunately, a good sophomore team will not get out and win many varsity games.

Smith is sorely aware that his young team is going to have a tough year.

"We have a few juniors and seniors, but the heart of this team is its sophomores," he said. "Sometimes I feel like we are sending a sophomore team out to play a tough varsity schedule."

Ah, yes, the schedule. After three straight winning seasons, it is tough to pad the schedule with paties. There are no easy wins on this year's schedule. What the Trojans will face just about every week are teams coming off of playoff appearances and/or winning seasons last year.

Which brings us to the lack of warm bodies. The bodies which have come out for the team have been kept very warm by the unbearable heat. But with only about 30 players dressing for



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Edwardsville, Valmeyer and Brooklyn.

Patton said it is likely the league will re-align its divisions. If Granite City was admitted, he would like to get them in with Edwardsville and East Alton.

"There are some good rivalries that we want to keep," said

Patton. "Waterloo and Valmeyer, for instance, have guys who have played against each other since grade school."

"It's not my decision to make alone. But I let the teams know how I feel. Having Granite City in the league would be a tremendous addition."

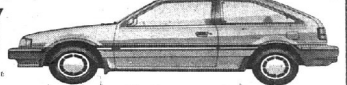
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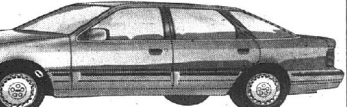
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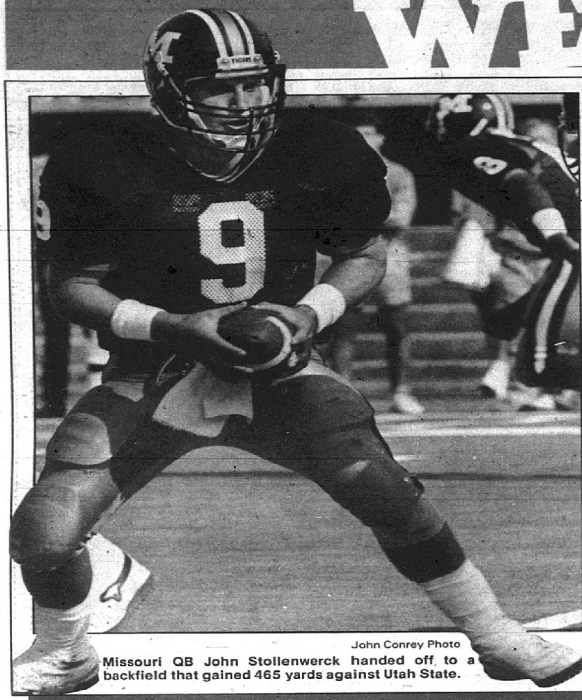
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Missouri QB John Stollenwerk handed off to a backfield that gained 465 yards against Utah State.

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## We'll Grounded

### Tigers Will Need To Take Some Turf

By Mark McCall  
Journal Staff Writer

Missouri coach Woody Widenhofer probably had his fill of passing last week, watching Utah State quarterback Brent Snyder nearly spoil the Tigers' season-opener with his right arm.

But Woody ain't seen nothing yet.

The University of Houston, Missouri's opponent at 1:30 p.m. Saturday in Columbia, runs an offense that makes Utah State's look conservative. In the Cougars' season-opener last week against Louisiana Tech, four Houston quarterbacks combined to complete 46 of 74 passes for 549 yards and five touchdowns in a 60-0 win.

Widenhofer and the Missouri defensive brain trust are hoping to be able to ground Houston's passing game.

Many questions still remain unanswered about the Tigers following their 35-21 win over Utah State. At times against the Aggies, Missouri looked like a winner. At other times, the Tigers resembled the teams that went 9-24 during Widenhofer's first three seasons at the university.

The Tigers looked promising on offense, gaining 465 yards on the ground. Junior tailback Smiley Elmore gained 187 yards in his starting debut.

But defensively, the team was Jekyll and Hyde. In the first half, Snyder rattled the Tiger secondary for 245 yards and three touchdowns. With a better pass rush and some needed adjustments, Snyder was held to 47 yards passing in the second half.

"I was proud of the way we adjusted at halftime," Widenhofer said. "We started sending some more people on blitzes and it paid off."

Widenhofer did not enjoy seeing Snyder pick his team apart in the first half. "It may have been fun to watch—but not from my sidelines."

Part of the problem may have been inexperience. Junior linebacker A.J. Miller, Missouri's leading tackler, was playing in his first game for the Tigers. Miller had sat out the previous year after transferring from Southern Methodist University.

"I was real excited," he said. "I guess I was too excited. I kept messing up the signals the coaches were sending in and made some bad calls. I knew what the plays were, but I was

so keyed up I was messing it up. They got me settled down, and things got a little better."

Missouri will need calmer heads to prevail against Houston.

"I'd be real disappointed if we weren't challenging for a bowl game this year," Houston coach Jack Pardue said. "We're not a shoot-in. We can have a good year, but we have to play up to our capabilities. If we make the plays we'll succeed. If we don't, we won't."

Pardue took the Cougars to a 4-6-1 record last year in his first season as coach. The highlight of the season was a 60-40 win over Southwestern Conference rival Texas. Senior defensive back Johnny Jackson set an NCAA record in that game by returning three interceptions for touchdowns.

But offense is what the Cougars are known for. Pardue has installed the "run-and-shoot" offense, and it apparently is starting to pay dividends.

Senior quarterback David Dacus will run the offense—at least until his arm gets tired. Dacus completed 25 of 43 passes for 508 yards and two touchdowns against Louisiana Tech before giving way to sophomore Andre Ware. All Ware did was complete 14 of 21 for 194 yards and three touchdowns.

Both Dacus and Ware found senior wide receiver Jason Phillips often. Phillips was the leading receiver in the nation in 1987 with 99 receptions. He got off to a fast start this year by grabbing 16 passes in the opener.

Missouri's best defense against the Cougars may be its offense, which helped put the Utah State game away with a 99-yard, 19-play drive in the second half.

"I like it when our defense is on the sideline," Widenhofer said.

Utah State may have been the perfect opponent for the Tigers to open up against with Houston now coming to Columbia. Widenhofer said the Tigers have to be ready for Houston's attack.

"Houston's going to come in and throw more than these guys (Utah State) did," he said. "We'll have to see where our problems were and try to correct them."

Miller is confident the defense can get the job done. "We've worked on pass defense all through the two-a-days (practices) and into the fall," he said. "We'll be ready."

## Illini's Jeff George Out, New QB Scramble Is On

By Jim Woodcock  
Journal Staff Writer

The rich quarterback tradition at the University of Illinois during the 1980s fell in stature last year while the Illini awaited the reactivation of red-shirt sophomore transfer Jeff George.

Last Saturday at Arizona State, the Illini got a sampling of the excellence they expect from George in the next three years. George wasn't enough to keep the Illini from falling 21-16 to the Sun Devils, but he was enough to create guarded optimism on a young Illinois team (0-2) that can use the encouragement.

This week, though, the best thing George can do to rally his teammates—and coach John Mackovic—is tell them he's OK to compete in Saturday's 3 p.m. home game against Utah (KXOK-AM 630). George left Saturday's game after being sacked in the fourth quarter, and his sluggish recovery has prompted Mackovic to list George as questionable for the Illini's final non-conference game of the season.

Mackovic said Tuesday that he is not about to gamble his quarterback's future, or the long-term welfare of the Illini football program, by rushing George into action against the Utes. Consequently, Mackovic has spent much of this week preparing junior Peter Freund to start in George's place.

Though Mackovic would prefer George on Saturday, Freund offers experience (50 of 58 last season) and proved to be capable filling in for George in the final minutes of Saturday's game. In his only series, Freund led the Illini 51 yards to the Arizona State 19 before the last-ditch drive stalled.

"A lot of whether Jeff plays will depend

on how much practice time he's gotten in," Mackovic said. "We have to get Pete ready, and he can't shake the pain from a hit late in the game issued by ASU defensive back Rod Dillard on a crucial play from the Sun Devils' 31. George suffered a strained back on the play, which amounted to a 15-yard loss and put Illinois—trailing 21-14 at the time—out of scoring range."

George was injured on a similar play two years ago when he was a freshman at Purdue and had to sit out four games with a lumbar stress fracture. This time George was more fortunate, but the healing has been slowed by a condition George has called spondylolysis, which lessens one's pain tolerance.

"This condition isn't something that should prevent him from playing football," Mackovic said. "It's found in about 5 percent of the population, but the difference is the other people in that population don't play football very much. Right now we want to be supportive of Jeff."

George was effective before he was removed from Saturday's game. He completed 19 of 31 passes for 178 yards and his first touchdown for the Illini. Furthermore, George was impressive as a field commander as the Illini made a strong second-half bid to upset the Sun Devils.

Saturday's effort was paradoxical in light of the Illini's 44-7 season-opening loss Sept. 3 to Washington State, which is supposed to finish several runs lower than

Arizona State in this season's Pac-10 Conference race. This has, in effect, raised fans' expectations of the Illini against Utah, a first-time opponent for Illinois from the Western Athletic Conference.

However, non-conference games involving Big 10 teams may be college football's biggest news makers so far this fall. The Big 10 is 2-9 in non-conference games, and some of the losses have been suffered against traditional pals such as Duke, Hawaii, Rutgers, Washington State and Western Michigan.

That is why Mackovic suggests Utah is anything but do-or-die material, and he may be right. Utah is 1-0 following last week's 41-16 win at home over Idaho State that featured a massive 511-yard passing attack from 6-foot-6 sophomore quarterback Scott Mitchell.

"That's significant, to say the least," Mackovic said of Utah's offense. "They will probably use a far more diversified and innovative passing game than we have seen anytime in three games, and maybe anytime this year. They use a lot of formations that are not what we'd call standard."

Utah returned 42 lettermen from a 1987 team that finished 5-7. And the Illini are aware that one of the Utes' wins last season came on the road against Big 10 member Wisconsin.

"So we'll have to be an improved football team this week to beat Utah," Mackovic said. "We think we showed a great deal of improvement from the first week, but our improvement was probably more noticeable because of our lack of performance against Washington State. There's still a great deal of room for improvement, but by the same token we feel our team is moving in a direction we're comfortable with."



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A Sun Devil sacked Illini QB Jeff George last week, aggravating a back injury.

### Pick of the Pro

#### Pro Picks

Take Denver and give Kansas City 6  
Take San Francisco and give Atlanta 14  
Take Seattle and give San Diego 8

#### College Picks

Take Oklahoma and give Arizona 24  
Take BYU and give UTEP 12  
Take Harvard and give Columbia 22

### The College Line

Saturday, Sept. 17

Favorite	Spread	Underdog
MISSOURI	2	Houston
ILLINOIS	6	Utah
Virginia	6½	Georgia Tech
Notre Dame	Pick	MICHIGAN STATE
WEST VIRGINIA	20½	Maryland
Yale	1	BROWN
Princeton	1	CORNELL
PENN STATE	8	Boston College

## FOOTBALL LINE

RUTGERS	2	Vanderbilt	2
Baylor	4	IOWA STATE	4
SOUTH CAROLINA	4	Eastern Carolina	4
HARVARD	22	Columbia	22
Penn.	13½	DARTMOUTH	13½
BYU	10½	Utah	10½
Indiana	2	Kentucky	2
Temple	2	NAVY	2
AIR FORCE	16	Northwestern	16
IOWA	6	Colorado	6
Florida State	2½	San Diego State	2½
OKLAHOMA	23	Arizona	23
Miami (Florida)	7	MICHIGAN	7
WASHINGTON	22	Army	22
STANFORD	2	San Jose State	2
Alabama	2	TEXAS A&M	2
Memphis State	6	LOUISVILLE	6
PITT	3	Ohio State	3
WASHINGTON STATE	4½	Oregon	4½
N.C. STATE	1	Wake Forest	1
Georgia	14	MISSISSIPPI STATE	14
AUBURN	38	Kansas	38
Lsu.	3½	TENNESSEE	3½

TEXAS	34½	New Mexico	34½
ARKANSAS	10	Mississippi	10
TULANE	1	Kansas State	1
SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI	1	Virginia Tech	1
California	6	OREGON STATE	6
ARIZONA STATE	14	Colorado State	14

### The Pro Line

Sunday, Sept. 18

Favorite	Spread	Underdog
New Orleans	5½	DETROIT
Houston	2	N.Y. JETS
PITTSBURGH	3	Cincinnati
Phoenix	3	TAMPA BAY
MIAMI	10	Green Bay
Denver	5	KANSAS CITY
NEW ENGLAND	2½	Buffalo
CHICAGO	3	Minnesota
WASHINGTON	5½	Philadelphia
Seattle	7½	SAN DIEGO
L.A. RAIDERS	Pick	L.A. Rams
SAN FRANCISCO	14	Atlanta
N.Y. Giants	3	DALLAS

Monday, Sept. 20

Favorite	Spread	Underdog
CLEVELAND	1½	Indianapolis